

## A Tribute To Fred Bear

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## Mother's Day Is For Returning A Little Kindness

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## News Briefs

### U-Turn Doesn't Cut It, Mattress Truck Closes I-75

The I-75 south bound lane near M-93 was closed Saturday, April 30, for approximately 20 minutes while officials removed a jack-knifed semi-truck hauling mattresses.

The driver, Detroit area man, attempted to make a U-turn at 9:45 p.m. on the express-way when his truck jack-knifed.

The Crawford County Sheriffs Department arrested the driver for O.U.I.L. Sheriff officers were assisted at the site by the Grayling Police Department.

The truck was impounded by Crawford County Collision and Towing.

### 20-Year-Old Arrested For Criminal Sexual Assault

Grayling City Police arrested a 20-year-old male in connection with a criminal sexual assault complaint on April 24. Two juvenile females reported they were assaulted by the 20-year-old at a home of one of the girls in Grayling. The victims names will not be released and police are withholding the name of the arrested suspect pending court arraignments.

### Local Man Charged in Theft Of \$7,000 in Baseball Cards

A Grayling man is scheduled for arraignment Tuesday, May 10, in District Court in connection with the theft of a collection of baseball cards valued at \$7,000.

The collection was taken during the April 18 breaking and entering of the John Cherven CPA office.

The investigation was completed by the Grayling Police Department. The arrest was made in cooperation with the Crawford County Sheriffs Department.

### Grayling High School Hosts Blood Bank May 4

On May 4 a Blood Bank will be at the Grayling High School from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. If you miss the GHS Blood Bank, there will be another one on May 5 in Frederic from 4-8 p.m.

For the past thirteen years, Crawford County has attained and even exceeded their goal in pints of blood. This year the county is falling short, said GHS Blood Bank Student Coordinator Lori Dean.

All blood types are needed, but there is a shortage of B-, O-, and O+, so please give, Dean said.

### Schools Close Early May 5 For Staff In-Service Program

Crawford AuSable schools will close early Thursday, May 5, for a staff in-service program to work on curriculum coordination. The Grayling and Frederic elementary schools will close at 12:15, the middle school closes at 12:30, and the high school will release students at 12:45 p.m.

### GHS Spring Arts Award Night Scheduled for Thursday, May 12

The Grayling High School Visual and Performing Arts Departments hold their annual Spring Arts Awards Evening on Thursday, May 12, in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

Highlighting the event are concerts by the Viking Concert and Jazz Bands under the direction of Dennis Ormsbee. Awards will be given to outstanding students in each of the fine arts area: art, individual events (forensics), instrumental music, and theatre.

Students who participated in arts activities throughout the 1987-88 school year, their families and friends are invited to attend.

### Long Distance Telephone Service Interrupted by Computer Failure

GTE telephone customers in Crawford County were without long distance service for about 10 hours on Tuesday, April 26. The long distance switching center in Alma, which directs toll calls stopped processing calls at 8:45 a.m. Tuesday. Some long distance calls from the Gaylord, Grayling, Atlanta, Lewiston, Vanderbilt, Roscommon, Prudenville, Houghton Lake and Higgins Lake areas were effected. Long distance calls going out of the Saginaw LATA (most of the 517 area) were blocked at Alma.

A component failure in the main computer of the toll switch caused the problem. Long distance service was restored at 7:00 p.m. Service was interrupted to approximately 30,000 customers in the seven telephone exchanges.

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Fred Bear, 1902-1988

## Amnesty Offered Here For Welfare Fraud

An amnesty program for persons committing welfare fraud will be offered in Crawford County May 9 to June 10.

The amnesty program is open to anyone receiving Aid to Dependent Children (ADC), food stamps, general assistance, or Medicaid benefits they are not entitled to. The Crawford County Prosecuting Attorney's office recently charged 11 local persons in 8 cases of alleged welfare fraud involving \$12,202 in benefits.

If a person turns him or her self in during the amnesty period, they only have to repay the amount of benefits received illegally. Re-payment can be made through automatic deductions from future benefits.

Persons coming forward during the amnesty period will not be prosecuted, according to Donna O'Grady, Crawford County DSS Volunteer Services Supervisor, and David Sabin, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, who have set up the program.

The amnesty program, possibly the first of its kind in Michigan, will be monitored by the state Inspector's office.

"This is the brain-child of our Crawford County DSS and Donna O'Grady," said Sabin. "I don't know of any others like it in the state. It might very well turn out to be a pilot program."

O'Grady said she came up with the amnesty idea after DSS County Director Robert Porter assigned her to the task of

developing a program to reduce client reporting errors.

Sabin said welfare fraud usually involves recipients "fudging" on the amount of income they report. They under-report wages or they don't report some income at all.

In past years, the local DSS office had to rely on friends and neighbors reporting possible fraud cases. Now the main source for catching welfare fraud is the "Wage Match" computer system in Lansing.

"There's no question we will catch them. It's just a matter of time now," said Sabin.

The amnesty program is also open for employers and landlords who have assisted welfare clients in receiving illegal benefits.

"Anyone who helps conceal assets or information can be prosecuted," said Sabin. "And we probably will prosecute them harder. You can almost understand the reason why people on welfare try to get a little extra, but it's hard to understand the people not on welfare helping someone cheat the system."

Welfare fraud of more than \$500 is a felony with a maximum of a 15-year jail penalty. People convicted of welfare fraud may also lose their welfare benefits.

The amnesty program will be a one-time offer open to all except persons already being prosecuted. Persons with questions should ask their DSS case worker or call the Crawford County DSS office, 348-7691.

## Child Watch Program Started For Grayling

Grayling law enforcement and school officials have formed Child Watch, a program to increase the safety of area children. Police Chief Peter W. Stephan and Grayling Elementary School Principal Melvin Nunn are looking for volunteers to help in the program.

"The Child Watch Program needs observers within neighborhoods and commercial areas to report potential problems to the Police Department," said Police Chief Stephan. The program has the support of the Grayling Elementary School Parent-Teacher Organization and the corporate sponsorship of Michigan Consolidated Gas Company (MichCon).

Each volunteers is required to attend a 90-minute training session, under the direction of Grayling Patrolman Dennis Long. An active supporter of Child Watch Programs throughout its service areas, MichCon is providing the resource materials to implement the training program and to help volunteers report suspicious behavior to the police department. Providing youth support is Ronald Bancroft, a senior at Grayling High School and member of the Boy Scouts of America.

"We would like everyone on a block to be a

Child Watch volunteer," said Principal Nunn. "There are no limitations on a volunteer's time. No matter what time of day or night, anyone can help in providing a safe and secure neighborhood for our youngsters."

Anyone interested in becoming a Child Watch volunteer should contact the Grayling Police Department at 348-4621.

## Miller Resigns Commissioner Post After 10 Years

John Miller resigned as county commissioner April 28th to take a job directing recycling programs based at the Crawford-Otsego landfill.

Miller was serving his 10th consecutive year as a Crawford County Commissioner. "Sometimes I do well, sometimes I don't do so well, but... my best interest was for Crawford County," Miller said at the April 28th commissioner meeting.

Miller said that during his tenure serving as a commissioner he had an opportunity to see many changes on the board — some good and some bad — but he felt politics never interfered with the focus of the

board's responsibility.

Miller read his letter of resignation at the April 28th meeting and said he had no regrets for all the time he had served on the board.

His resignation was accepted with "deep regrets" from the board.

Miller began serving on the board January, 1979, and his current term expires December 31, 1988. The board can appoint someone to serve the remainder of his term but the appointment must be made within 30 days. If an appointment is not made within 30 days, a special election must be held to fill the position for the remainder of the term.

## Archery Legend Fred Bear Dies

By Dick Lattimer

Fred Bear, considered by many to be the father of modern bowhunting, died in Gainesville, Florida, on April 27 of natural causes following a long illness. Mr. Bear suffered from both emphysema and congestive heart failure.

The founder of Bear Archery, Fred Bear, 86, worked in his office practically everyday until the end of his life. He continued to travel the country promoting the sport of bowhunting that he loved so well. His most recent appearances had been at The SHOT Show and Safari Club International meetings in Las Vegas this past January.

Born in a snowstorm in Waynesboro, Pennsylvania, on March 5, 1902, Mr. Bear moved to Detroit in the early 1920's where he found work as a pattern-maker for the Packard Motor Car Company. In 1927 he saw an Alaskan adventure film made by Arthur Young and soon afterward had the occasion to meet Mr. Young. The two became friends and shot together at the Detroit Archery Club. Young helped Fred Bear in his early attempts at making equipment and Fred soon went into business with a friend and founded Bear Archery Company in 1933.

His worldwide bowhunting adventures carried him across North America, to

Africa, India, and South America. In the early days he carried his own cameras and notebooks to record his adventures and the outdoors he loved so very much. In later years professional movie and television crews accompanied him. He was a frequent star of The American Outdoors television program, as well as such programs as The Tonight Show, The Mike Douglas Show, To Tell The Truth and many others. More than two dozen films recount his worldwide bowhunting trips.

Mr. Bear is survived by his widow, Henrietta, daughter Julia Kroll, both of Gainesville, and foster son Col. Michael Steger of Lompoc, California. There are seven grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Memorial services, following cremation, were held in Gainesville on May 2 at Holt Trinity Episcopal Church. The family requests that memorial donations be made to either the Department of Cardiology, University of Florida College of Medicine, Box J277, Gainesville, FL 32610; or, to The Nature Conservancy, 1800 North 10th Street, Arlington, Virginia 22209 in Mr. Bear's name.

A memorial service will be held for Fred Bear, on Wednesday, May 11, at 11:00 at the St. Francis Episcopal Church in Grayling.

## AMAC Suit Dismissed From Circuit Court

A lawsuit to stop out-of-state military use of donated Camp Grayling land has been dismissed from 46th Circuit Court in Crawford County.

Judge Alton Davis ruled the Circuit Court is not the appropriate court to hear the case.

"If (the) Plaintiff has a justiciable claim, it must be litigated in the Court of Claims," Davis said in a decision issued Monday, May 2.

The state had offered four reasons why the AuSable Manitowish Action Council, the group which filed the suit against the state Dept. of Military Affairs, should not be allowed to continue with the lawsuit.

Judge Davis' ruling only addressed the issue that the Circuit Court lacks jurisdiction to try the case. The judge's opinion said the Court of Claims has exclusive jurisdiction in claims against the state concerning

contracts.

The lawsuit contends the state broke restrictions placed on donated Rasmus Hanson property. When the approximately 14,000 acres were donated in 1913, the restrictions specified the land could be used by the Michigan militia. AMAC sought to restrict out-of-state troops from training on the land.

Dan Alstott, executive director of AMAC, said on Tuesday morning that the group intends to continue their efforts with this case. After talking with their attorneys, the group said they definitely will appeal the decision.

Terry Norton, assistant Attorney General who represented the state, said the state was pleased the court agreed with their argument and allowed the motion to dismiss the case.

## Battering: One of Society's Least-Publicized Crimes

Battering is a crime, one that Dan Rather has been quoted as saying is "one of society's dirty little secrets." To expel the myths regarding Domestic Violence, River House Shelter and Domestic Violence Services would like you to know:

1.) Battering is common — about half the couples in this country have experienced violence in an intimate relationship.

• Battering is the single major cause of injury to women, exceeding rapes, muggings, and even auto accidents (William French Smith, U.S. Attorney General, 1983).

• Battering crosses all educational, economic, religious, and social groups.

2.) Battering is serious — More than one million abused women seek medical help for injuries caused by battering each year.

• Twenty-three percent of police officers killed in the line of duty were attempting to halt family fights.

• Thirty-three percent of female homicide

victims are killed by their husbands or boy-friends.

3.) Battering in relationships victimizes primarily women —

• Men commit 95% of all assaults on spouses, according to National Crime Survey Data from 1973 to 1977. Men are also victims, but are often reluctant to report it.

Shelter services are rooted in the belief that women and their children are entitled to a safe environment, free from violence. Shelters serve as a safe place, removed from the cycle of battering. Philosophically, shelters believe that women can and should have control over their own lives. Shelters serve as a support system for women as they take the necessary steps toward self-determination.

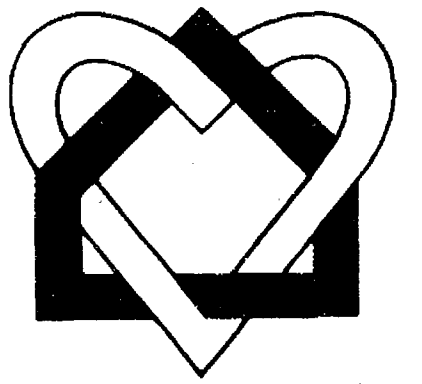
The River House Shelter and Domestic Crisis Services offers the following:

• Shelter 24 hours a day, for women and their children.

• Hotline services 24 hours a day and information and referral - 517-348-8972 Collect Calls Accepted.

• Referrals to existing services.

• Advocacy. For more information on what your community provides to victims of crime, please contact: River House Shelter and Domestic Crisis Services, P.O. Box 661, Grayling, Michigan 49738, 517-348-3169. Crisis line (517) 348-8972.





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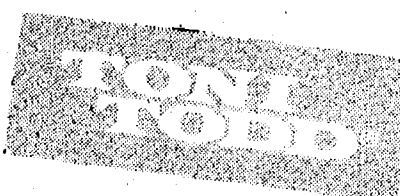
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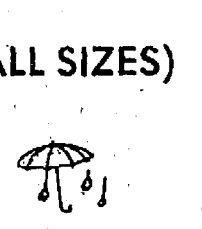
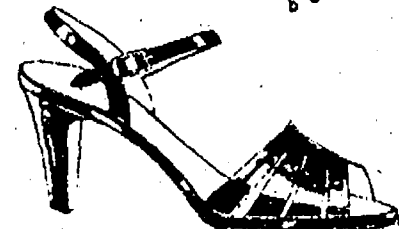
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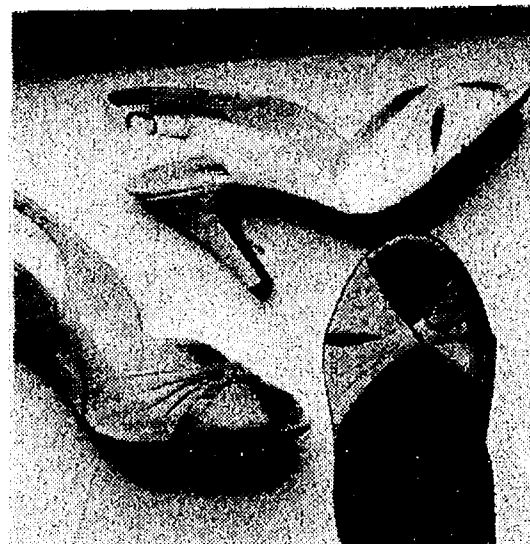
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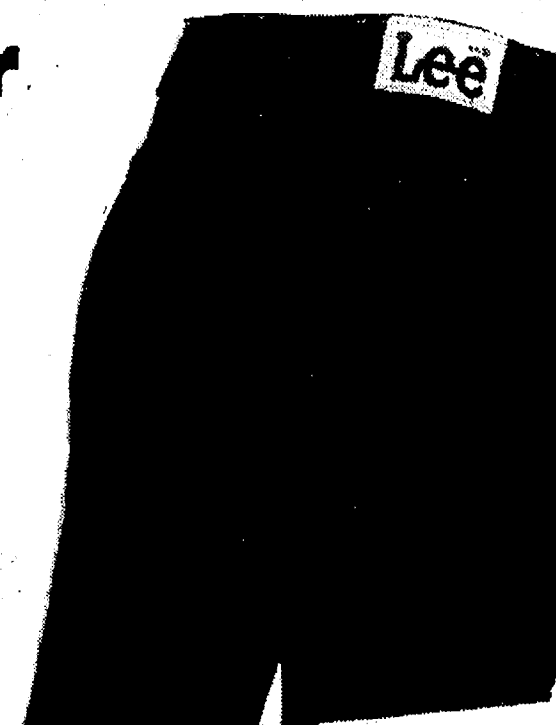
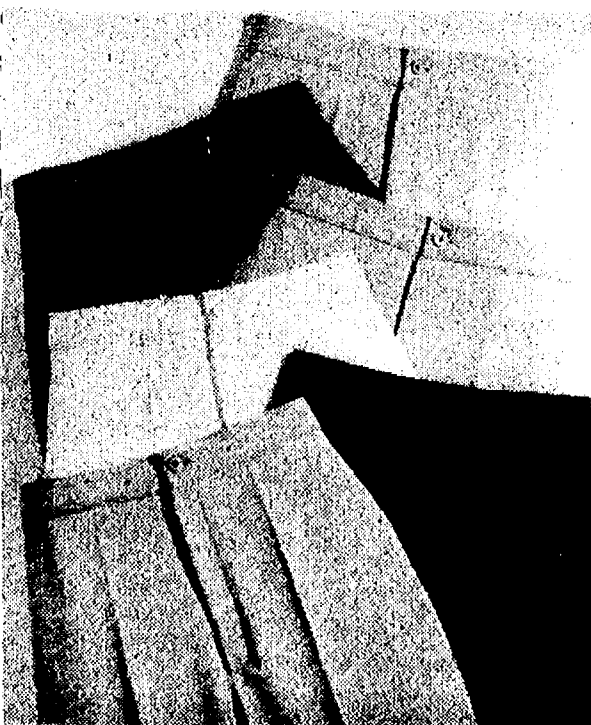
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**WOLOHAN'S GRAND OPENING** — Todd Thimmes, manager at the Wolohan Lumber and Home Improvement Center in Grayling, cuts a ribbon at Grand Opening ceremonies held April 28th. Helping Thimmes is Grayling Chamber President Bill Carey. Also on hand are Wolohan Corporate Sales Manager Tony Bosco, District Manager Harold Erskine, Terry Young, assistant Grayling manager, and Dave O'Neil from the Wolohan contractor's office.

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## County Literacy Council Underway

The first meeting of the Crawford AuSable Literacy Council was held on Tuesday night, April 19, at the Crawford County Library.

### Class of '68 Plans Reunion

The class of 1968 is planning their 20 year reunion. We are unable to locate the current address of the following people: Larry Beery, John Brozo, Nancy Brown, Kathy Mortenson, David Annis, Rick Rutkowski, Kathy Woods Glasson, and Linda Springs. Please call Dianne at 348-2457 with these addresses.

An update of the program was presented by Phyllis Brummer, Lorna Morse and Liz Jackson, co-ordinator. A discussion followed concerning the needs and expectations of the program.

Others present, representing various educational and service organizations from a tri-county area, were, Geneene Warren, Marion Frankenfield, Bette Steele, Elma Roske, Vickie Harts-horn, Deb Patterlo, Paul Poe, and Rose Duley.

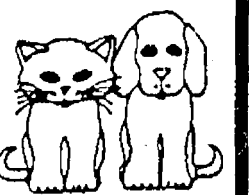
The council will meet quarterly at the Crawford County Library, with the next meeting in July.

## KCC's 19th Commencement Slated for Friday, May 6

Kirtland Community College will hold its 19th annual Commencement Exercises on Friday, May 6th, at 7:30 p.m. in the Gilbert I. Stewart Auditorium. 153 students will participate. Bill Schuette, R, Sanford, will be the Commencement Speaker.

Congressman Schuette was first elected to Congress in 1984. He plays an active role in setting policy, particularly in the area of agriculture. He also serves on the House Select Committee on Aging, retains his coveted seat as the only Michigan member on the House Agriculture Committee, and has been re-elected as the Republican Sophomore Class Whip after acting as Assistant Class Whip during his first term. In addition, Congressman Schuette represents a three-state region on the Republican Policy Committee which helps to set the GOP legislative agenda.

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## 6 Candidates Seek KCC Board Positions

Six candidates are seeking voter approval on the June 13 ballot for two Kirtland Community College Board seats.

Candidates for the 6-year position are:

Robert Bovee of Grayling, Crawford County Juvenile Officer and former board member.

Debbie Checola of Fairview, KCC student.

Hans Lantsch of Roscommon, Gerrish-Higgins School District superintendent.

Roy Spangler of Roscommon, Cooperative Extension Service.

Incumbent Dr. Warren Bontrager of Mio and Bryan Augustine of West Branch.

Three incumbents are running unopposed in the COOR Intermediate School District election. They are James Kolka of Grayling, 6-year term, Pamela Hubbell of West Branch, 6-year term, and Robert DeWitt of Roscommon, 4-year term.

## Camp Grayling Range Firing

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling May 4-11 in the following areas:

The Small Arms ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. 7 May and cease at 5:00 p.m. 7 May. Firing will also be conducted at 8:00 a.m. (Daily) 10 May and cease at 5:00 p.m. (Daily) 13 May.

Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Rd., south of County Rd 612, and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will be continuous from 4 May to 11 May.

The Range 40 Complex located north of County Rd 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd 618, and west of County Rd F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will be continuous from 4 May to 11 May.

The Ranges will be closed to the public during these periods and all persons are warned to keep out of the areas identified.

## New Mothers Support Group Meets May 10

The New Mothers Network is a support group for new, but not necessarily first time mothers. The group specializes in breast feeding concerns and processes, but will address all infant care concerns. The group usually meets the first Tuesday of each month, but will be meeting the second Tuesday in May. The meeting will be held in the second floor solarium of Mercy Hospital at 7 p.m.

The next meeting will be on May 10. Call 348-5461 ext. 167 for more information

## Weather

Courtesy of C.F. Flick

Apr.	Hi	Lo	Rain
26	61	24	Clear
27	41	33	Snow 0.12
28	55	31	Rainstorm
29	69	30	Cloudy
30	66	33	Clear
May			
1	75	26	Clear
2	77	29	Clear

## May Calendar of Classes from

### The Icehouse

sunday	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
1 Mother's Day	2	3 Spring Fever	4 AuSable Quilt Guild Meets	5 Mother says she'd Love a Gift from The Icehouse	6	7
8	9	10 Hand Applique 10:30-3:00	11	12	13	14 Cross Stitch on Linen 10:30-1:00
15	16 Making Band Boxes 10:30-12:30	17	18	19	20	21 Free Demo Stenciling 10:30-1:00
22	23	24 Donna Pottorff Sweatsuit Painting 10:30-3:00	25 May 25	26 The Quilting Stitch 10:30-3:00	27	28
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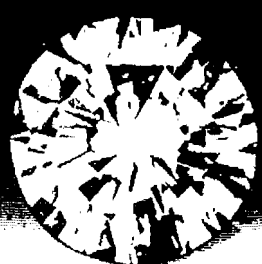
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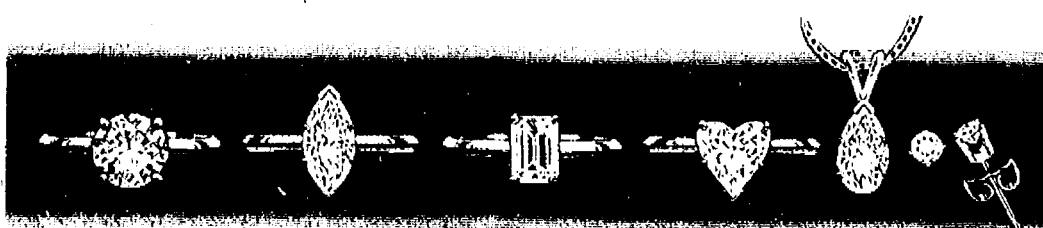
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# Opinions

## Northern Views

By Jon Thompson



It would be difficult to make up a story as wild as the one recently released about a space display to celebrate the centennial of the Eiffel Tower in France.

In 1989 the Eiffel Tower will be 100 years old and the Eiffel Tower Management Company wants to launch an orbiting string of luminous balloons that will appear as large as the full moon.

The light ring will be made up of an inflatable ring about 15 miles in circumference dotted with 100 reflective balloons. The balloons, each with a diameter of almost 20 feet, would reflect sunlight in much the same way as the moon. (See illustration below.)

Plans call for the uninflated light ring to be stuffed into a container and launched into space. The container will explode, inflating the ring. The light ring would be expected to last about three years before it would self-destruct. The cost of the light ring, including the launch expenses, is estimated at \$40 million.

The centennial project has already angered many astronomers. They feel the object could damage highly sensitive detecting instruments and hinder space observations.

"There are a couple of aspects that are troubling about the project," says David L. Crawford, an astronomer at Kitt Peak National Observatory in Tucson, Arizona. "It is bright, and chances are it will wipe out the detectors. And basically, it's advertising. The next thing we'll see is the McDonald's arches, and that's the wrong kind of thing to put in the sky."

This information came from the News

Service of the National Geographic Society in a press release dated April 20, 1988. I called their Washington D.C. office to see if this was an April Fool's joke that had just arrived a little late at the Avalanche. A News Service staff worker told me the centennial story was bizarre but true.

I would have to label it more than just bizarre. Advertising in the night sky — one more intrusion into our lives. Have people gazed at the night sky for centuries to look for advertising?

"Oh look, there's the Milky Way!" exclaims little Jimmy.

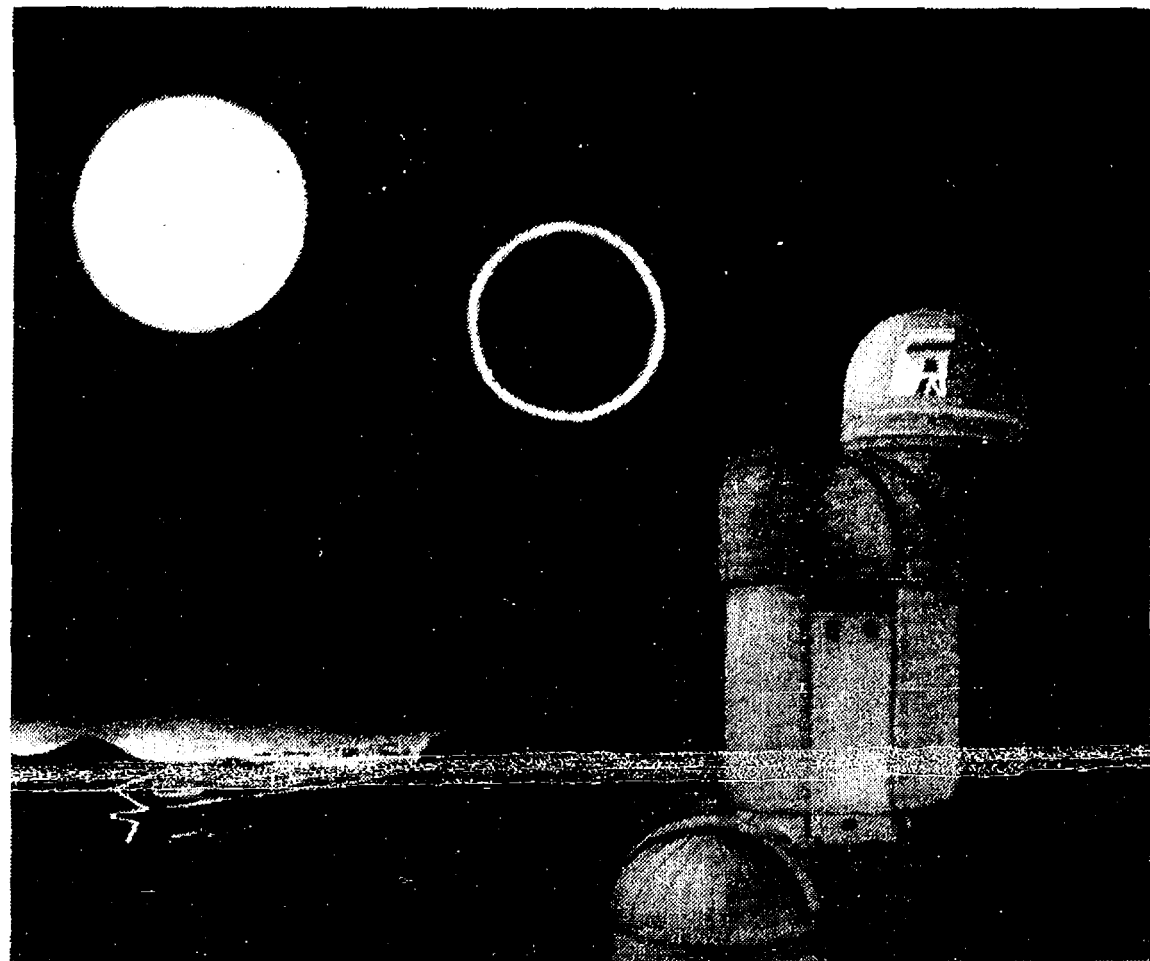
"Sorry Jimmy, that's just a new advertisement for a Snickers candy bar," his mother tells him.

"The Milky Way used to be something you could find in the night sky before the advertising industry took over the heavens," she says to a disappointed Jimmy. "It's too bad you don't remember how the sky looked before. It was pretty — sort of like the way the northern Michigan scenery looked before billboards came along."

Equally disgusting as the thought of advertising in the night sky is the cost of this proposed gimmick. What sort of people would try to raise \$40 million for a frivolous project like this when there are so many good causes in our troubled world just crying for funds?

Forty million dollars wasted because a tourist attraction is 100 years old?

I think the air-headed people behind this idea should just fill the empty spaces in their heads with helium and launch themselves.



Drawing by Mark Nardini © 1988 National Geographic Society

**LIGHT RING** — The orbiting ring of 100 luminous balloons would appear almost as big as a full moon. This illustration shows how the light ring could add to the light interference from cities and bother astronomers. Shown is the Kitt Peak Observatory overlooking Tucson, Arizona.

### PIPE DREAMS



THE COMMUNITY IS IN BAD SHAPE...

... A LOT OF WORK SHOULD BE DONE...

I HOPE SOMEBODY DOES SOMETHING SOON!

THE GUY WHO'S TOO BUSY TO PARTICIPATE

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## Letters to the Editor

### Time To Start Asking Centel for Improvements?

Dear Jon:

I read with interest your column of April 27, 1988, concerning the lack of PASS on the local cable system. As another die-hard Tiger fan I would also like to be able to watch additional Tiger games and as your basic couch potato I would also like to see additional entertainment channels added.

There are a couple of points from your article that I would like to expand on. First, in information supplied to Broadcasting Magazine (the trade journal of Broadcasters) Centel advises that the Grayling system has a channel capacity of 22 channels of which 14 are being used at this time. This means that there should be no problem in finding a spot

for PASS with 8 open channels available.

The second point of interest is that before Centel bought the system from Grayling Cable Services, there was plans of adding 4 additional channels in the summer of 1985, these being Nashville Network, MTV, CNN, and The Weather Channel. We now have Nash-

ville Network but had to lose WNEM to get.

This may be the time for the citizens of Grayling to start asking CENTEL when they're going to start improving our system. Check

some of the other systems that CENTEL owns and you'll find most have many more channels than we get.

Sincerely yours,  
Larry L. Akers  
Grayling

### GHS Coach Teaches More Than Just Physical Skills

(The following letter was written to Bernadine Dosch, President of the Crawford AuSable School Board).

Dear President Dosch,

All too often we, the consumer of public educational services, remain silent when we ought to commend. It is, however, as much an obligation of simple citizenship to give accolades when they are earned as it is a right to protest when things are wrong.

High school wrestling is an interesting competitive sport. I am particularly impressed with success of Grayling's team. Therefore, I sought to find reasons for their superior performance. I am convinced their success springs not so much from any superiority of raw athletic talent as it does, in fact,

from the basic character of the Grayling athlete.

Your coach, Don Ferguson, is an outstanding teacher for he knows how to touch the lives of young people in a very positive way. It is obvious to even a novice observer such as myself that he is part of each wrestler on his team and each one is part of him. He feels what they feel both physically and psychologically. During a match he is very intense. He twists and turns on his chair; he shouts encouragement but is never fault finding.

It is an emotionally uplifting experience for an old man to watch a master at work and to talk with many young men on the Grayling team. They are magnificent in every way. The auspicious influence of the coach is evi-

dent for they are acquiring attitudes that are far more important than physical skills. They are learning how to go one on one with life's problems and how to solve them with hard work diligently undertaken and intelligently pursued.

So it is with a sense of deep pride and great humility that I write this letter — humility in the presence of a great teacher; pride in the athletes and the community they represent for I, too, was once a resident of Grayling.

Please accept my good wishes and thanks to you, to the board of education, the administration, and to all personnel of the Grayling School District. You are making life so meaningful to young people and so enjoyable for me.

Richard Lowe  
Lansing

### Green is More Than Just Color of Freedom

Okay, Okay. I've reconsidered. I read them all. Some of them twice. I was most moved by the "Green is the symbol of Patriotism" metaphor. I was so moved that I started to think some of what I read was true, that I really was all the horrible things some people said I was. I trembled, when I remembered that General Andrews called me in protest and had offered to fly up to set me straight. I started to believe that the Guards are good for Grayling, that they really are helping to keep the peace, that our lives actually are safer up here because of their constant total force readiness. Then, I got a little scared. I started thinking, I mean really thinking, about the Russians and then I started thinking

about being vanquished and I decided to join. I mean really join. I wanted to get this Homecoming thing up to warp speed. I wanted to have Guards everywhere all summer. I wanted camo kits handed out to EVERY car that turned off the expressway. I wanted every citizen in uniform. I wanted both banks of the river lined from here to Wakeley Bridge with guards. I wanted fly-overs every five minutes. I wanted to invite Ollie North. I wanted to be the Grand Marshall. I wanted the whole Homecoming to suddenly get out of control and turn into a commie-hunting celebration.... Then, I came to my senses. I turned off my inspirational tape, a quasi-tribal chant of "Green is the Color of Freedom", and I remembered

that green is also the color of some parasitic insects and of course, it is the color of money.

Mike Delp  
Interlochen

The following is an open letter to General McDonald:

Dear General McDonald: Sorry I have not responded to your letter sooner but I must admit it had me stumped for a while. You see I was raised with the belief that there has to be some good in everything so I have been studying your letter. You will be pleased to know that I have found it.

As you are probably aware many Americans are concerned with the high cost of the Military. Each time the National Guard firing rattles my windows, I see dollar signs.

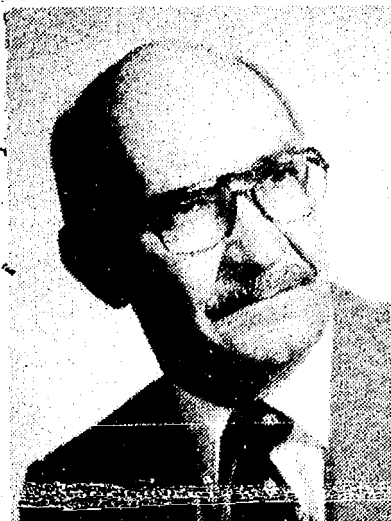
It is comforting to know that someone connected with the Military still knows how to take "Cheap Shots."

B.J. Fowler 942692  
U.S. Marines 1944-1946

## Almanack

### Speaking of Speakes.....

by Richard Millman



**LARRY SPEAKES**, the former presidential spokesman in the Reagan White House, kicked up quite a storm recently with his book on his White House years.

Mr. Speakes, a former small town newspaper editor from the South, not only admitted making up quotes for President Reagan, and dishing them out to the press without the President's knowledge or approval, but actually seemed to be bragging about it.

"I did it as an act of loyalty to the President," Mr. Speakes recalls now.

The most significant instance under discussion arose after a Geneva conference between Mr. Reagan and Soviet Leader Mikhail Gorbachev.

After the session, so the story goes, Mr. Reagan really didn't have anything to say, so Mr. Speakes made up a lofty sounding quote and told the press that Mr. Reagan had said it.

He also dished out another supposed quote from the President, which actually had been uttered by Secretary of State George Shultz.

The specific citation represents a proverbial tempest in a proverbial teapot. The quote which Mr. Speakes originated and put in Mr. Reagan's mouth was innocent enough, and didn't stir up any international repercussions.

**BUT WHAT HAS** the usual political observers aghast is the fact that Mr. Speakes would tell the assembled press that Mr. Reagan said something when he really didn't. The focal point is on honesty and integrity of the White House itself.

As to a made up quote, by itself, the reaction of this former Press Secretary and political speech writer is: "So What?"

Made up quotes in politics and government? It happens all the time. What do you suppose speech writers do, anyway, but put words in the mouth of the speech maker.

There are a couple of significant differences here, however.

Usually, The Boss — whether it's the President, the governor, a congressman, a mayor, or anyone who employs a spokesperson or a speech writer — sees and approves the quote before it's issued in his or her name.

And second, the significance of the event in the Speakes controversy is of importance. Certainly the press and the public should be able to rely on a White House version of the President's comments and thoughts on something as important as a meeting with Mr. Gorbachev.

But in the day to day running of a government, words of an officeholder get issued all the time in his/her name, sometimes with prior knowledge and approval, and sometimes without.

The governor's office, for example, receives hundreds of letters a day, and issues hundreds more a day. I doubt very much if Gov. Blanchard reads each one, and it's a certainty that he does not write every one upon which his signature appears.

Mr. Speakes error was compounded by an arrogance in bragging about putting words in Mr. Reagan's mouth. The best staff person, in most cases, is the anonymous one.

**AS FOR MR. SPEAKES**, he now says that he does not really know whether the error was in making up the quotes, or in telling about it.

"It's hard for me to decide what I'm being criticized for," Mr. Speakes said.

If that is true, then it's no wonder that Mr. Reagan had more than a few problems with the media during Mr. Speakes' tenure as presidential spokesperson. Such an attitude indicates a lack of sensitivity that is difficult to fathom.

And that's probably the real reason why the brokerage firm which was paying Mr. Speakes \$250,000 or so a year in salary decided to dump him.

**NUTS AND JOLTS** — Some closing Nuts and Jolts from Hod Shewell:

— As the outdoor barbecue season nears, remember that too many broths can spoil the cook.

— Nowadays, if the doctor tells you you're sound as a dollar, you're in trouble.

— What this country needs is a good five-cent nickel.

— An old-rotic is a guy who's been a neurotic for too long.

— Keep in mind that there would never have been any Founding Fathers without any Founding Mothers.

## Letters to the Editor

Your views are welcome on this page. Letters may be typed or handwritten but please double space or use every other line.

Every letter must be signed and an address or phone number should be included. Letters will not be published without the author's name.

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## A Look At Our Past

23 Years Ago  
May 6, 1965

Floyd L. Millikin, Grayling High School graduate and son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Millikin of Beaver Creek was one of twenty-seven Michigan State Police recruits graduated as probationary troopers Wednesday, April 21, at East Lansing headquarters, completing nine weeks of training and raising the department's enlisted strength to 1,251, the highest it has ever been. Floyd has been assigned to the Niles Post.

Miss Cindy Harwood celebrated her twelfth birthday Friday by having a pajama party with seven of her classmates. Everything went well until it was discovered that Pam Pearsall had the measles.

Bob Millikin and Dennis Rochette spent Easter weekend in Detroit. Connie Schiff and children came back with them to spend a week with her folks the LeRoy Millikins. Morton came up the next weekend to pick up his family and take them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smock took their daughter Cheryl and Roscommon's exchange student from Germany, Frank Pietzsch, to Mio on Saturday. There they

joined other exchange students and went on to Onaway where they attended an international dance for exchange students. They returned home Sunday after staying overnight with families in Onaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClain and sons of Grand Rapids returned home Sunday after visiting his parents, the F.J. McClains, for a week.

Denae McEvers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McEvers, received her First Holy Communion at St. Mary's church Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hall entertained with a breakfast for twenty-seven at Dunk's Inn in honor of Denae, and held an open house at their home Sunday afternoon.

The Robert Strongs spent the weekend in Marshall visiting their daughter and family, the Bob Lutters.

46 Years Ago  
May 7, 1942

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh received the glad news by telegram this morning of the birth of twins, a boy and a girl, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Stirling (Betty Welsh) of Venice, California, on May 6th. They have been named Stephan Bruce and Cary Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Oaks and daughter

Susan of Clio were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hills have returned to their home on the AuSable after spending some time visiting their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Hills and Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Lynch of Bloomfield Hills.

Supt. and Mrs. Frank Bond are receiving felicitations on the birth of a son Tuesday, May 5th at Mercy Hospital. The new superintendent's name is Jonathan Taylor Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mallinger of Higgins Lake are the new managers of Lakeside Camp.

George M. Collen has purchased a cheese factory at Elmira and is opening up for business this week.

Carl Sorenson left

Wednesday night of last week for Houston, Texas, to take a job in a defense plant owned by his brother-in-law, A.R. Engler.

Mrs. Carl Larson and daughter Aileen, Mrs. Herbert Stephan and Mrs. John Papendick spent Wednesday in Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pomeroy of Pontiac are spending a few days with Mrs. Cora Nephew in Lovells. Mrs. Pomeroy is the former Iris Nephew.

69 Years Ago  
May 8, 1919

Little Genevieve McPeak of Bay City is visiting her aunt, Mrs. P.A. Borchers.

An eight-pound girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Rasmusson yesterday morning.

Mrs. Charles Duncan

of Roscommon was in Grayling last Tuesday and while here was a guest of Sheriff and Mrs. E.P. Richardson.

Harry Fredman of Milwaukee visited his wife and daughter here over Sunday. They have been guests of Mrs. Fredman's mother, Mrs. H. Joseph, for a week.

Misses Vivian Bromwell and Mae McCarthy entertained a number of friends Wednesday evening of last week to celebrate their birthday anniversaries, which are but a few days apart.

Rolla W. Brink, formerly of Grayling, and Mac MacGilvery, known to many here, are members of Calley's saxophone orchestra of Bay City, that rendered music for the J-Hop last Friday evening.

After spending the winter in and about Los

Angeles, California, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Michelson are about to return. They will return via Canadian Pacific and stop off at Portland, Oregon, and other cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Douglas, who left Johannesburg about a year ago for Bridalveil, Oregon, and later went to Mill Creek, British Columbia, have returned to their former home in Johannesburg.

## Local Riverboat Builder Receives Heritage Award

Jay Stephan, a riverboat builder from Grayling, is among seven Michigan citizens selected to receive 1988 Michigan Heritage Awards.

The awards are given annually by the Michigan Traditional Arts Program at the Michigan State University Museum and recognize Michigan citizens who, with excellence and authenticity, continue the traditions of their families or communities.

The 1988 awards will be presented at a dinner during Michigan Week at 6 p.m. May 19 in the MSU Union Building.

Individuals to be honored are:

— Donna Esch, a quilter

from Mio, recognized within the Mennonite community and statewide for her contribution to quilting.

— Jay Stephan of Grayling, who has been building riverboats and guiding fishing parties on the AuSable River for more than 40 years.

— Don "Red Arrow" Stevens of Blanchard, who carries on the Native American pow-wow tradition as a drummer, performing and teaching younger tribal members.

— Jingo Viitala Vachon of Toivola, a storyteller, illustrator and author who portrays the tradition Upper Peninsula life of her youth.

— Edmund White Pigeon

of Hopkins, a skilled Native American black ash basket weaver.

— Jim Wicks of McMillan, who carves duck decoys and continues to use them in a specialized form of "lay-out" hunting.

— Ivan Walton, in an award given posthumously to the University of Michigan folklorist and scholar.

Tickets for the awards dinner are \$25 and must be purchased by May 9 from the Michigan Traditional Arts Program, MSU Museum, East Lansing, MI 48824. For more information, contact Ruth Fitzgerald or Yvonne Lockwood at the MSU Museum, (517) 355-2370.

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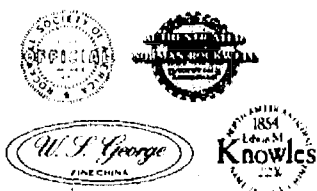
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District Tournament Winners

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GHS entered 17 categories: Dawn Elekonich (jr)

and Caroline Shin (sr), Dramatic Interpretation; the teams of Erin Bindschattel (fr) / Tanya Latuszek (fr) and Andrea Flowers (fr) / Candy Grigsby (fr), Duo Interpretation 9-10; the teams of Amy Denton (jr) / Janet

Petrosky (jr) and Cathy Maule (jr) / Chris Zell (jr), Duo Interpretation OPEN; Nicki Burcham (soph) and Todd Elekonich (fr), Humorous Interpretation; Anna Hagemeister (fr), Informative Speaking 9-10; Julie Huss (sr), Original Oratory; Kris Cottenham (sr) and Teresa Matthews (sr), Prose/Poetry Interpretation; Chris Bindschattel (soph) and Holly Bailey (jr), Radio Broadcasting; Wayne Sands (sr), Sales Speaking; and Lori Dean (jr) and Amy LaGrow (jr), Storytelling.

The following individuals and teams qualified for the Regional Tournament by

placing first, second or third place in an individual event: Dawn Elekonich, 1st place; Flowers and Grigsby, 1st place; Denton and Petrosky, 1st place; Maule and Zell, Alternate; Anna Hagemeister, Alternate; Julie Huss, 2nd place; Chris Bindschattel, Alternate; Wayne Sands, 2nd place; and Lori Dean, 3rd place.

"The team performed very well this season," said coach Nancy Lemmen, "in spite of the fact that over half is composed of first year members. And we're losing only five to graduation. Next year they should be even stronger."

### Frederic Baptist Church Hosts Evangelist Jim Cook

The First Baptist Church of Frederic will feature Evangelist Jim Cook in six days of special services beginning Sunday, May 8-13.

The meetings are scheduled for 9:45 and 11:00 Sunday morning as well as 6:00 on Sunday evening. The weeknight services will be Monday through Friday at 7:00 p.m.

Rev. Jim Cook was a pastor before he entered evangelistic work. With this background, he understands the needs of people in local churches and seeks to meet those needs in his meetings.

Raised in a family on Detroit's east side, Cook was familiar with violence and teenage gang warfare

during his early years. As a result, many of his early friends went on to serve prison terms or face violent death. In an effort to escape that environment, Cook joined the Marine Corps. It was shortly after his honorable discharge that he accepted Christ as his Saviour.

Following Bible School training, Cook pastored two thriving churches in California before entering evangelistic service.

In addition to Cook's preaching, special music will be a part of each of the services. A nursery with qualified workers is furnished for each service. Transportation may be arranged by calling 348-8126.

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Letters to the Editor and photographs must be turned in by Friday, noon, to appear in the next issue, space permitting.

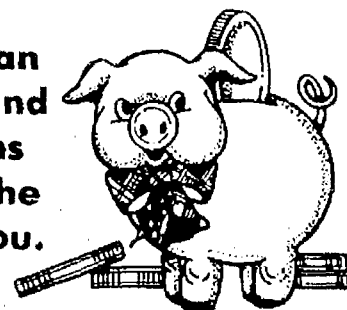
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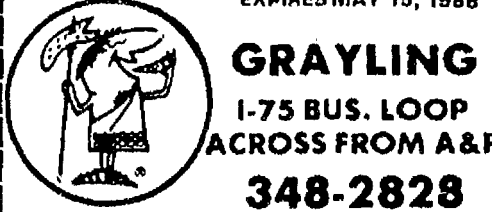
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## More Events Added To Diamond Jubilee Plans

Planning for the Diamond Jubilee celebration for Camp Grayling has been refined to add many more events to the summer long affair.

The first Grayling events will occur on Memorial Day, May 30 when a large contingent of the Michigan National Guard will participate at the cemetery ceremonies sponsored by the local American Legion Post. Plans call for the Grayling High School band and the Michigan State National Guard band to play at the cemetery. A helicopter flyover will also take place there.

A parade will then form to march to the Crawford County Historical Museum at the Railroad Depot. Plans for the parade include having the military participants in various uniforms from the revolutionary period to the present time.

At the museum a permanently mounted cannon will be dedicated to the National Guard. From that location, marchers and visitors will proceed to the County Building where a Memorial Flame lighting ceremony will take place.

The next major event will take place during the annual training period for the Michigan National Guard on June 11-26. The week of June 19-25 will be dedicated as Homecoming Week for the guard and thousands of retired guard as well as reservists are expected to attend along with many visitors. Major programs for visitors will take place on June 24, 25, and 26. On Friday, June 24, the military review will take place at 2 p.m. In addition to the marching of all units of the Michigan National Guard, it is expected that a parachute drop will take place.

Many awards will also be handed out to military and civilians. It is expected that Michigan's Congressional Medal of Honor recipients will be honored as will heirs of Rasmus Hanson, who donated the land for Camp Grayling. During the review, a flyover of helicopters and various Air National Guard planes will take place.

Before and after the parade, many demonstrations will be held by the guard including bridge building on Lake Margrethe, medical emergency handling, and winter training. A military art display will be available showing many early photos of the camp and related military activity.

After the parade, a homecoming dinner will be available for those who plan on staying for the late afternoon and evening entertainment.

Following the evening meal, at 7:30 p.m. there will be a concert by the 126th Army band. A stage show featuring a well known singer will be one of the evening highlights.

On June 25 the military demonstrations will once again be held from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Mercy Hospital will host its annual Child Fair and the downtown businesses will hold sidewalk sales.

Street performers will take center stage downtown from 3 p.m. until 7 p.m. and at 9 p.m. an American Legion sponsored Beer Tent will open at the Legion Hall. On June 26 local ministers and military chaplains along with a choir will conduct a service called Freedom of Religion.

On July 2 the Grayling Youth Booster Club will sponsor activities including a parade, static displays by the guard, a children's fishing contest and fireworks.

The annual Milltown Festival will be held from July 23 through Sunday, July 31. Thursday will be Heritage Day with many participants dressed in old time costumes. Featured for that day and the rest of the week will be the Arttrain as well as an adjacent tent featuring pictures of Camp

Grayling's history. Children's events will be featured during the day including canoe races. In the evening an Ice Cream Social will be followed by a dance at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Friday, July 29, is called Marathon Day in honor of the 41st running of the AuSable Budweiser International Canoe Marathon. Novice and expert races will be conducted on the river as well as the major 240 mile marathon.

Saturday, July 30, is Parade Day and features at 3 p.m. one of the largest summer parades in the north country. During the day there will be an Arts and Crafts Show, Wildlife Art Show, Hartwick Pines Sawmill Days, Pony Pull, Quilt Show, Marathon Runs, Antique Auto and Tractor Show and an Air National Guard flyover at the start of the parade.

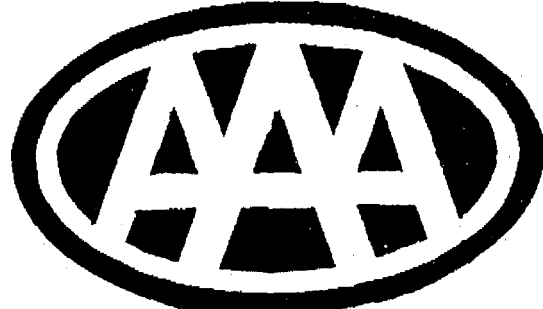
Winding up the week of events Sunday will be an inter-denominational Sunrise Worship Service on the banks of the AuSable River. Also featured will be a children's Fishing Contest at 2 p.m.

The Diamond Jubilee at Camp Grayling beginning July 31 through August 5 will host Freedom Academy, held each year for young people who have an interest in a military career. On August 1 a Military Symposium will feature many speakers.

During the month of August, National Guard personnel and equipment will be on hand at the various local county fairs.

Concluding the Diamond Jubilee events for the summer will be a repeat performance of the Artillery through the Ages demonstration that was so well received last year.

During the summer, the Michigan National Guard will also be working on various local civic improvement projects including the installation of devices throughout the county at bodies of water so that fire tanker trucks can fill up more rapidly and with less environmental damage.



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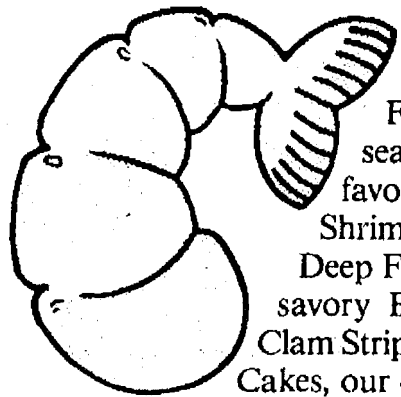
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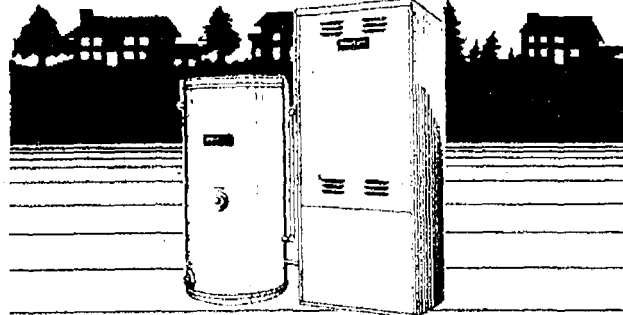
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## RSVP Volunteers

By Bonnie Strohpauf

Hartwick Pines Volunteers will have an in-service meeting with Wendell Hoover from Hartwick Pines Tuesday, May 17th, at 3:00 p.m. at the RSVP office.

Eighteen volunteers participated in the RSVP balloon launch. Many other volunteers came in throughout the day to place messages on their balloons. We received notice of a group of balloons in Pickering, Ontario, Canada. Those balloons belonged to Florence Johnson, Hazel Koerke, Harry Hoerl, Ann Doty, and Marge Olver. If anyone else receives a response to their balloon, please contact our office. Helen Daniels, Florence Johnson, and Jean Buccellato donated delicious brownies, and Bernie Engel, John and Helen Leykauf helped with the balloons. Mich-Con donated the balloons and Mercy Hospital donated the helium.

Florence Weaver has donated a beautiful blue and

green afghan for our Spring raffle. Tickets are available for \$1 at our office.

Riverhouse Shelter will be holding a family picnic Saturday, May 21st at Hartwick Pines. In appreciation of the time and many hours donated, they encourage their workers from RSVP to attend.

RSVP Opportunities — Hartwick Pines - Book Nook

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## New GHS Softball Team Wins Season Opener

The newly formed GHS girls softball team started their season the right way with a doubleheader win over Roscommon April 20 at Millikin Field.

Grayling pounded Roscommon 17-6 in the opener and 26-16 in the 2nd game.

In the opener, A.J. Pratt led the hitting with a triple and single as Grayling put several walks to good use. The Vikings scored 7 times in the first inning using four walks, two singles, and an error.

Lori Gust got the win.

In the second game, Janice LaDuke led the hitting with three singles. Pratt, Kris Partello, Carrie Trudgeon, and Patti Tremblay all added two hits each. Linda Goodale got the win.

On April 26th at home Grayling lost a doubleheader to Gaylord 11-4 and 32-4. Only the first games count in league play.

Tremblay led the hitting with two hits and two RBI's in the first game. Dawn Liberty added a hit and 2

RBI's.

In the 2nd game, only Amy Denton, Trudgeon, and Tremblay got a hit.

The Vikings also lost on the road Saturday, April 30, to Rogers City 18-0 and 14-12. In the second game, Grayling was leading 12-4 going into the sixth inning of a seven-inning game.

The Vikings were scheduled to play Boyne City at 4 p.m. Tuesday, May 3, and Petoskey at 4 p.m. Thursday, May 5, at Millikin Field. On May 10 they travel to Charlevoix.

## Stockton Continues Chase For Olympic Gold Medal

"Training has been super," reports Grayling Olympic hopeful Brett Stockton.

Stockton has been training on the canals of the Florida Gulf Coast with the Canadian and American National Kayaking teams, in hopes of securing a spot for America in the upcoming Olympic trials. He has been slowly increasing his speeds until now he is consistently beating some of America's top paddlers.

Stockton is known locally as the hometown boy who has won five AuSable Canoe Marathons. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stockton. He hopes to be home this July to compete in the 41st AuSable Marathon shortly before he heads for Seoul, Korea, and the Olympic games.

Becoming a world class athlete is a very grueling,

expensive and sometimes dangerous endeavor. In a recent race one of Stockton's competitors lost the back of his kayak to a hungry alligator.

Stockton wants to pass on thanks to all of his friends in Grayling who have supported him through the "Go for the Gold, Brett" campaign. To date six hundred dollars have been received to offset his expenses. More dollars will be needed if Stockton is to reach his Olympic goal. If

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## Elementary Notes

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We have trees. Mrs. Green passed them out to us. Weyerhaeuser gave them to

## Par for the Course

By Fay Bovee

The Grayling Country Club Auxiliary, which meets every Wednesday morning during the golf season, held their organizational meeting on Monday evening, April 25, at 7 p.m. at the clubhouse.

The new president, Lynda Hetrick, presided at the meeting. The secretary's report was read by Mary Jane Knibbs and the treasurer's report by Ricki Stahl.

Donna Pottorff, representing the golf committee, led the discussion on the type of play that will take place and for what category prizes will be awarded.

Mike Hoffman was called upon to discuss the type of lunches for the season. He will be assisted by a commit-

tee of Pearl Tucker, Nancy Hoffman, and Mary Jane Knibbs in making decisions on the food.

The first day of play will be May 4 with tee-off at 9 a.m. Guest day will be May 11. Ringers will start on June 1 with regular scheduled play starting also. Gaylord Day will be at the Gaylord Country Club on Tuesday, August 2, and the league voted to continue playing here until September 14 which will be President's Day.

Any women members of the country club are cordially invited to join the group. Please call Lynda Hetrick or Donna Pottorff as soon as possible.

## Vikings Drop Wild Game to Rogers

A wild second game of a doubleheader Saturday will add to an already good Grayling-Rogers City baseball rivalry.

A two-out two-run home run gave Rogers City a come-from-behind win in the bottom of the 12th inning. But the action up to the 12th inning was just as good.

The Vikings took an early lead of 3-2 and increased it to 8-2 in the 5th inning. Rogers City came back with 3 runs in the 5th to tighten it to 8-5. Grayling added a run in the 6th inning and then took a 9-5 lead into the bottom of the 7th inning — the last regulation inning in league play.

Rogers exploded with two doubles and two home runs to tie the game 9-9 and the fun was just starting.

In the 10th inning, Grayling scored in the top of the inning. Rogers came back to tie in the bottom of the inning. In the 11th, Skeeter Apps hit a home run to give Grayling an 11-10 lead. In the bottom of the inning, a Rogers City home run that Grayling

players said bounced over the fence tied the game again.

In the 12th Grayling scored two runs to go ahead 13-11. Rogers City hit a home run in the bottom of the inning and pulled to within 13-12 with two outs. Then the home run ended a wild game.

Grayling dropped the opening game 6-2. The game was close until Rogers scored 5 runs in the fifth.

Against Gaylord last Tuesday the Vikings won 7-2 and 4-3. In the opener, Flaskie Robins hit two home runs and John Kinnee and Mike McNamara each hit one. Palmer only gave up three hits for the win.

In the second game, Chris Skidmore only gave up 3 runs and Kinnee led the hitting with two singles.

Against West Branch last Thursday, Grayling lost 8-3 in the opener and was trailing 5-3 in the second game when it was called because of darkness.

Jason Teddy had 3 hits in the 2nd game, McNamara had 2, and Palmer hit a home run. In the 1st game, Palmer and Kinnee had 2 hits each.

Grayling is at home against Onaway Thursday, May 5, and travels to Charlevoix May 10.

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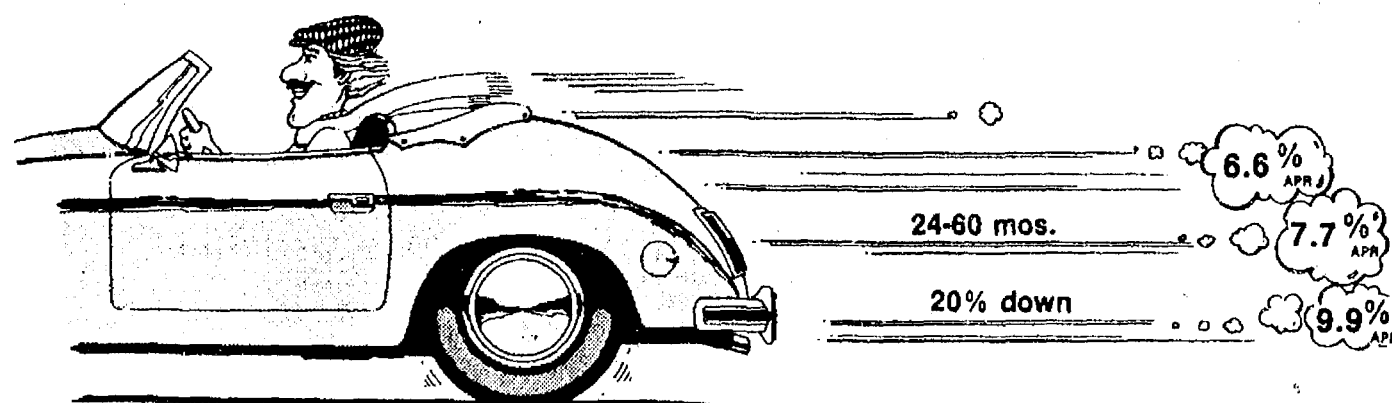
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or function, made numerous items or crafts, entertained for guests and friends, counted inventories, answered phones, or any other magnitude of tasks we asked you to do; sign up for your recognition dinner as our "Special Guests." Call the office (348-7123) and let us know that you are coming so we know how many to plan on.

There will be a senior ad-

visory meeting on May 24th at 5:30. Do plan on attending because it is open to any and everyone of you senior citizens to make your opinions and views known. You have a right to attend these meetings and express your ideas, whether they are pro or con.

Special note for the South Branch satellite people - there will be a second satellite for you on the 4th Friday of each month (May 27) as well as on the 2nd Friday.

Menu nad activites for May 9-13.

Monday, May 9 - 10:00 exercises; 1:00- cards and games; 3:00-Songbirds; 5:00 dinner (Chop Suey)

Tuesday, May 10 - 1:00 crafts; 1:00 RSVP cards; 3:00 Kitchen Band; 4:30 Salad Bar; 5:00 Mother's Day Dinner (Bar-B-Q Chicken) 5:30 Traverse City Kitchen Band.

Wednesday, May 11 - 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Walk-in-Basis blood pressure and blood sugar taken; 10:00 Quilting; 1:00 Stag Party; 1:00 Swimmercise; 5:00 dinner (Hot beef sandwich).

Thursday, May 12 - 2:00 History class; 4:30 Salad bar; 5:00 dinner (Beans and franks).

Friday, May 13 - 11:30 South Branch satellite; 12:00 dinner Roast Rork) Special note for the South Branch satellite people - by popular request the second satellite will be on the 4th Friday (May 27th) of each month as well as on the 2nd Friday.

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A representative is in Grayling at the County Building, on the first and third Tuesday of each month, from 10:30 until 2:00. There is no phone service at this location.

## Lovells Extension

The Lovells Home Extension Group met at the clubroom on April 13 with 16 present. Velda Marshall was hostess.

The surprise lesson was given by Bo Gyla, owner of Grandma's Dolls in Grayling. She showed several dolls that she had made and many articles of doll clothing. She said that if one had an old doll, they should write down its history.

Following the lesson, the meeting was opened by President Kitty Pellegrini. Roll call was The Best Surprise You Had Ever Had. Secretary, Koernke gave her report and it was approved. Joyce Mullin, Treasurer gave her report and it was

received as read.

New Scholarship guidelines were set up. Seven members attended Campus Day at Kirtland College. They enjoyed a variety of classes.

Those attending the MAEH District Meeting in Gaylord were: Irene Honey, Mildred Johnson, Hazel Koernke, Velda Marshall.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, May 11, at the Womens' Clubrooms with Viola Bigford as hostess. For Roll Call, bring a picture of your Mother, when she was young, preferably.

There will be election of officers. The lessons will be on Safety by Katherine Jones and Family Life by Cora Davis.

## Lovells

By Ruth Caldwell

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Radunzel and daughter, Kristen, from Grand Rapids, spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis have returned to their home on Lovells Rd. after spending the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rairigh of Lansing spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gregg.

Joe Erb returned home after finishing his year at Northern University.

Mrs. Dorothy DeVos was a guest of honor at a surprise birthday party Saturday evening given by her family. About 100 friends and relatives gathered at the Eagles Hall to help her celebrate. A delicious buffet supper was enjoyed by the group after which Dorothy opened many lovely gifts. Later dancing and visiting was enjoyed by all.

The Cheerful Givers Club

will meet Thursday evening at 7:30.

New books at the library are: "The Cherry Blossom Corpse" by Robert Barnard, "Murder Among Friends" by Frank McConnell, "Lady Killer" by Lillian O'Donnell, "Lives of the Twins" by Rosaman Smith, "Prizzi's Family" by Richard Condon, "Only When I Laugh" by Len Deighton, "Caught Dead in Philadelphia" by Gillian Roberts.

### The Eyes Have It

All eyes are focused on the future for a Texas A&M University project that uses an eye-tracking device to control machines including computers and robots. The system's biggest advantage is that it is much faster than traditional control schemes because eyes move almost as fast as thoughts.

## District Court

The following persons appeared in 83rd District Court before Judge Francis L. Walsh:

Uilani Clifton, 39, of Frederic, demanded preliminary examination to 2 counts: Welfare fraud over \$500. A personal bond of \$2,000 was set. Clifton was cited following a citizen complaint.

Ronald J. Clifton, 46, of Frederic, demanded preliminary examination to 2 counts of welfare fraud over \$500. A \$2,000 personal bond was set. He was cited following a citizen complaint.

James W. DeMoines, 39, of Indian River, demanded preliminary examination on a charge of 2 counts welfare fraud over \$500. A \$2,000 personal bond was set. He was cited on the offense dating 8-1-86 - 9-30-86 following a citizen complaint.

Kelly J. DeMoines, 25, of Indian River, demanded preliminary examination on a charge of 2 counts welfare fraud over \$500. A \$2,000 personal bond was set. He was cited on the offense dating 8-1-86 - 9-30-86 following a citizen complaint.

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Ellen M. Gilliland, 48, of Frederic, demanded preliminary examination to a charge of 2 counts welfare fraud. A \$2,000 personal bond was set. She was cited on the offenses dating 1-1-87 - 4-30-87 following a citizen complaint.

Dawn M. Hawley, 22, of Grayling, demanded preliminary examination to a charge of 2 counts of welfare fraud. A \$2,000 personal bond was set. She was cited on the offenses dating 8-1-86 - 10-31-86 following a citizen complaint.

Ronald Lee Denno, 21, of Grayling, was bound over to circuit court on a charge of bond obscending. Bond was

\$10,000 cash or surety. He was cited by the sheriff dept. on 2-2-88.

Douglas Lee DeHart, 27, plead guilty to a charge of driving with a suspended license. He was fined \$155 or 14 days. He was cited by the city police on 3-2-88.

Randy Paul Felka, 27, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL. He was fined \$405 or 30 days and his license revoked. He was cited 1-9-87.

Randy Paul Felka, 27, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of disorderly person-create public disturbance. He was fined \$105 or 10 days. He was cited by the city police on 8-2-87.

Lewis Reed Brown, 31, of Kalkaska, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL. He was fined \$405 or 30 days, license suspended for 6 months. He was cited by the sheriff dept. on 10-29-86.

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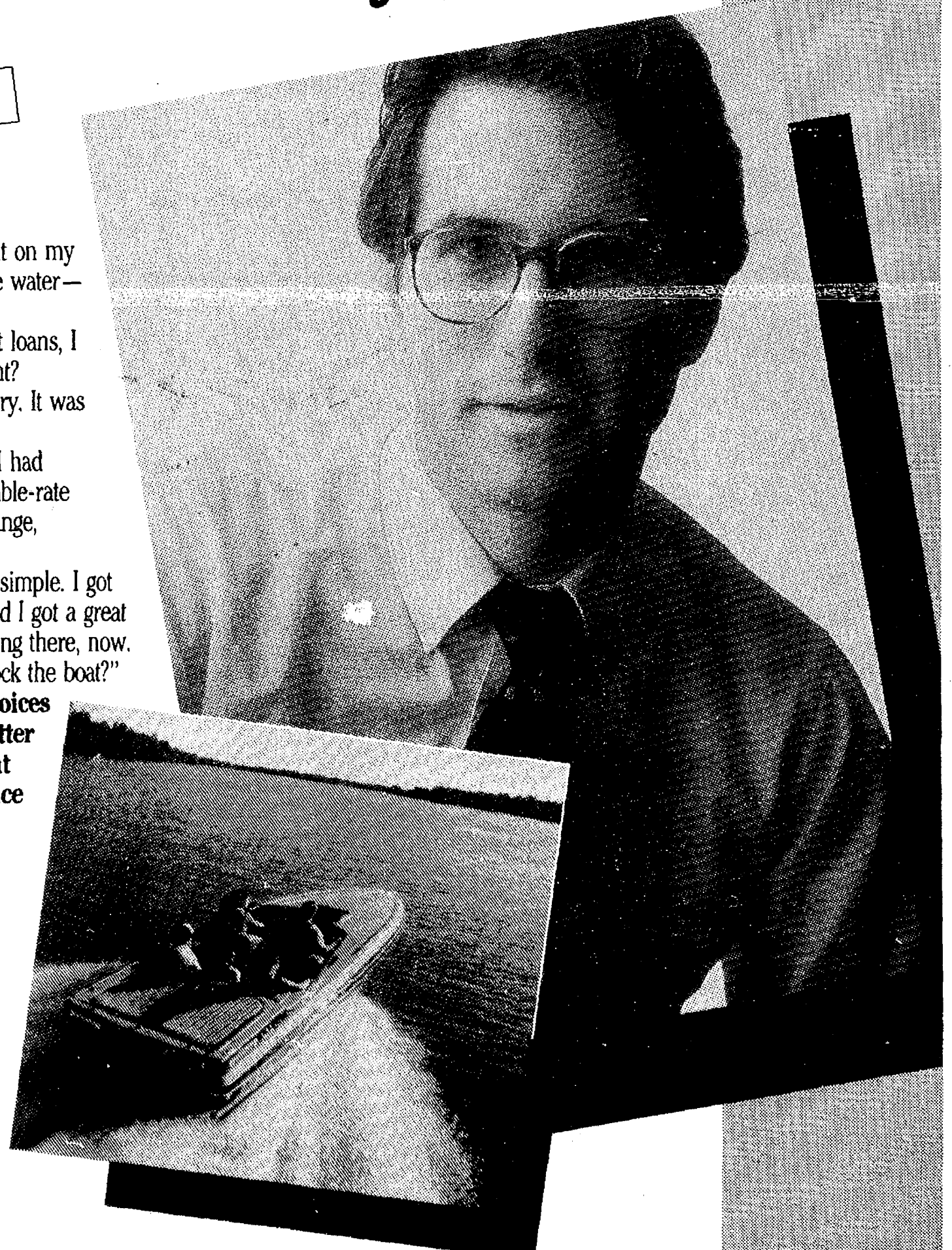
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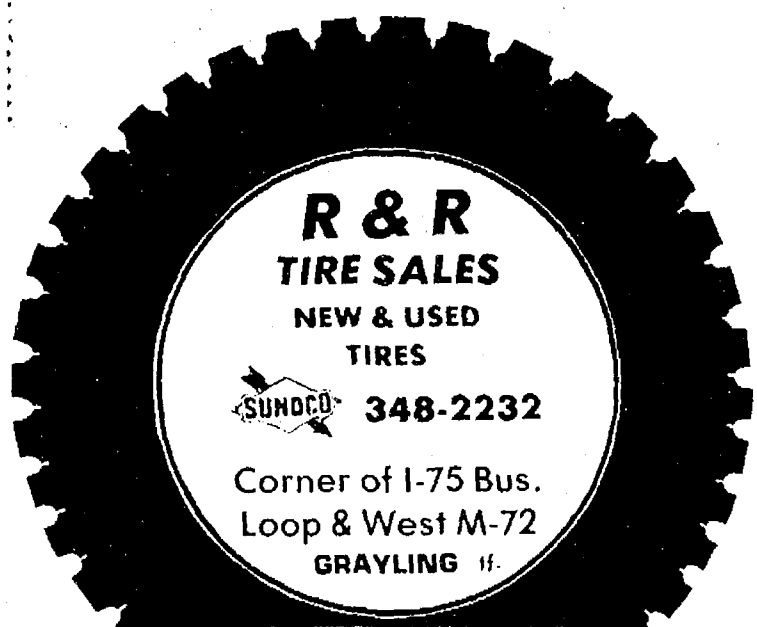
### MONDAY HOLIDAY WEEKENDS ONLY 8 A.M. TO NOON

Dump permits may be picked up at the Township Hall during regular office hours, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. starting May 17, 1988.

Also on Saturday May 21, 1988 and May 28, 1988 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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## Bits of Talk

By Sandy McAnallen

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This week I learned of a lot of great grandparents here in Grayling. Stewart and Joan Rose of Grayling became great grandparents for the first time last week when their grandson and granddaughter-in-law, Mike and Stephanie Rose had their first baby. The baby girl, Cortina, will soon have a cousin too. Dave, another of Stewart and Joan's 13 grandchildren is due to help his wife have a baby in the near future. Danny and Helen Rose, Joan and Stewart's son and daughter-in-law, drove up from Flint (where Cortina lives) for a visit with the new great grandparents and to tell all about the new arrival. Greg and Patricia Hardy are the new proud parents of

a beautiful baby girl, weighting in at ten pounds and eleven ounces. Kristy Lee was born at dinner time at Mercy Hospital, here in Grayling on April 20, 1988. Her grandparents are Kurt and Linda Marshall of Grayling and Christine and Jim Myers of Smiths Creek. This lucky little girl also has great grandparents right here in Grayling, Clare and Maxine Abeel and also Dow Hatcher.

Vanessa Ann Vogel was born April 14, 1988, and is the new addition to the Vogel family here in Grayling. Mom and Dad are Dave and Heidi Vogel and Vanessa even has a big sister, Andrea Marie. Heidi's mom, Joyce Lindberg, has come from Clearwater, Florida to help for three weeks. Grandpa Alf Svensen of Norway will be coming May 6, 7 and 8 to meet Vanessa. Grandma and Grandpa Art and Doris Vogel came back from their vacation in St. Cloud Florida a couple of days early in honor of Vanessa's arrival. Art and Doris were visiting William and Elsie Vogel, Vanessa's great grandparents, who live in St. Cloud. Vanessa has two aunts and two uncles here in Grayling, Melanie, Gretchen

and Heather who are thrilled at the arrival of a new cousin. Aunt Bonnie Stroh-paul has two children Nicole and Rusty making a total of five cousins for Vanessa to invite to any future birthday parties. Vanessa also has an Uncle David Svenson here in Grayling. There shouldn't be any trouble finding a babysitter for this little girl when Mom Dad want to go out.

Laurine Kraus, Dave Niederer and Nancy Niederer recently returned from San Francisco, where they attended the 1988 Ben Franklin National Merchandise Show, held at the Moscone Center. Mrs. Kraus was among over 850 store owners that attended the semi-annual event. During the five day show, Ben Franklin store owners and managers participated in business seminars, craft workshops and attended a trade show featuring over 700 exhibits of new merchandise available.

On the final evening of the Merchandise Show, the store owners and management attended "Night of the Golden Dragon" celebration held at Pier 3 of Fort Mason at the foot of the Golden Gate Bridge. The group was

treated to the sights and sounds of a traditional Chinese New Year. The evening's headline entertainment was provided by Gloria Loring, who is best known for her role as "Liz Chandler" on "Days of our Lives."

Gayle McClain and her daughter Brandi flew to New York City over Easter vacation to visit Gayle's sister Debbie Sala (nee Post), her husband Jeffrey and sons Antonio, age three and Nicholas, age one.

Jeffrey is a journeyman electrician and is currently working at Radio City Music Hall. Jeffrey just helped complete the renovation of the Majestic Theater where the Phantom of the Opera is now playing.

Show your license during Nurses Week May 1-7th and receive \$5 off any merchandise over \$10 at Kathleen's Plus Fashions and Ivie Girl of Grayling, Uptown Grayling.

Campaign Dinner, Grace Dopp Wegner for Probate Judge, May 5, 1988, Grayling Red Barn, cocktails 6-7:30, Dinner 7:30-9:30. Prime Rib dinner \$10.00. Paid for by the committee to elect Grace Dopp Wegner for Probate Judge, Rt. 2, Box 2860, Grayling, 348-6141.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes of Windsor, Canada, are pleased to announce the birth of twin daughters on May 1st. They have a son, Andy, who has been spending the past month with his grandparents, The Ron Holtcamp of Traverse City. Great grandmothers are Eleanor Holtcamp and Beatrice Bice both of Grayling. Great grandfathers are Charles Holtcamp of Ft. Lauderdale, FL. and the late George Skinner.

Welcome Mary and Leo Baumer to their cabin by Lake Margarethe. The whether has been so beautiful this past weekend Mr. and Mrs. Baumer spent much of their days outside in their yard making it beautiful.

That's it for this week. Remember, my number is 348-7439.



**WINS DESIGN CONTEST** — Raya Johnston, of Flowers by Josie in Grayling recently won the first phase in a three part process to select the 1988 Americas Cup award-winning floral designer. The Americas Cup is a prestigious floral design contest held once every four years by Florists' Transworld Delivery (FTD) Association throughout North America. Raya is the daughter of Ray and Mary Johnston of the Soo.

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The supper features, AuSable Buttermilk pancakes, fresh seasoned pork sausage, fresh maple syrup, and many other condiments and garnishments, beverages and calories.

All of the food is donated by the local congregation, and all of the proceeds is donated to the World Hunger Fund. The Grayling Saints have been able over the years to make over \$3000 available to needy people in the world. Everyone welcome, suggested donation is \$3.00 adult, \$2.00 children age 6 thru 12, under 5 free. The church is located on North Down River Road directly opposite I-75 exit.

### Frederic News

The Frederic Fun Day committee met April 30th at the Frederic fire hall and a number of new plans and ideas have been submitted. The committee is now sorting through the ideas in the hopes of making Frederic Fun Day the best yet.

Dave Hallin, a magician, will be doing close up magic tricks and disc jockey Fred Hinkle will be playing the tunes from the 50's and 60's in the park Friday, Aug. 5th. Some new games have been added for young and old alike. There will be demonstrations, a jail, pie throwing, free drawings, free food, and more. The committee is also trying to get a parade going for the morning of Saturday, Aug. 6th.

With so much going on we can always use more help. Our next meeting will be May 4th at the township hall starting at 7:00 p.m. If you can help in anyway please be there.

### Piano Students Present Recital

The piano students of Mrs. Judy Englund represented their 1988 Spring Recital on Thursday, April 28, at the Grayling Elementary School with about 70 people in attendance.

Students performing were: Stephany Lavrack, Jessica Waite, Bethany Schreiner, Katey DeVries, Eric Morse, David Sabin, Deborah Schreiner, Leeanne Millard, Shannon Morse, Elissa Cox, Melissa Wakeley, Jackie Cragg, Tonya Anglemeyer, Onna Ingvarsson, Vicki Creps and Kelly Keifer. Mrs. Judy Englund also performed. Adult students not performing were Mrs. Mary Smock and Mrs. Joan Peters. Other students include Susan Huss and Kathy McAnane.

At the conclusion of the recital, the students were presented certificates of Musical Achievement and three other rewards.

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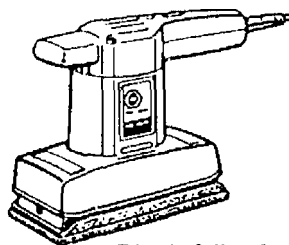
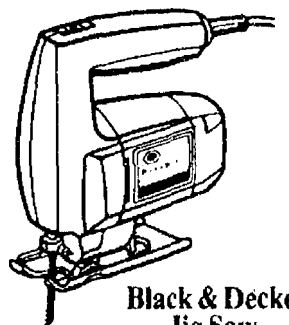
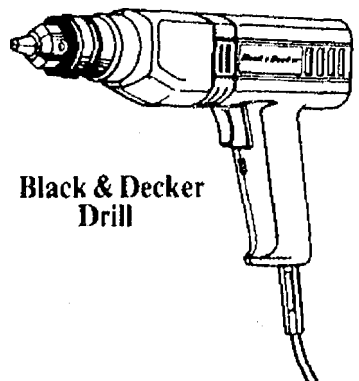
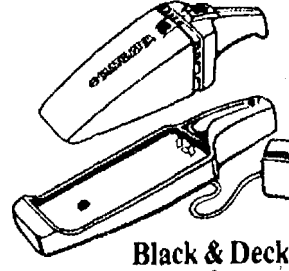
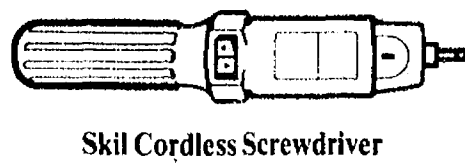
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**Louise Den Braber**  
 Mrs. Louise G. Den Braber, age 64, of Grayling and formerly of Grand Rapids, died Monday, April 25, 1988, at the Mercy Hospital in Grayling.  
 She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Den Braber in 1984. Surviving are two sons, Mark (Mary) Greenfield of Grand Rapids, Scott Benson of Grayling, two step sons, Robert (Mary Ann) Den Braber of Grand Rapids, Martin (Kay) Den Braber of Jenison, 8 grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Don (Doris) Den Braber of Rockford, Mrs. Edward (Hilda) Krawicz of Grand Rapids and several nieces and nephews.  
 Funeral services were held Friday, April 29, at the Meyers North Valley Chapel, 2815 Fuller Avenue, NE Grand Rapids, Michigan with interment in Fairplains Cemetery.

**Frank Roldan**  
 Frank G. Roldan, age 71, of Grayling Township died Friday, April 29, 1988, at Mercy Hospital.  
 Born May 1, 1916, in Tobara, Spain, he was a retired tool and die maker for Chrysler Corp., Detroit, and had been coming to Grayling for twenty-two years prior to moving here six years ago.  
 He is survived by his wife, Frances (Bitnar) Roldan; two daughters, Patricia Hanson, of Seattle, Washington, Diane Beale, of Ft. Wayne, Indiana; two sons, Larry Roldan, of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, and Thomas Roldan, of Detroit; one brother, Joseph Roldan, of Ewart, and four grandchildren.  
 The family request memorial gifts be directed to the Michigan Heart Association.

**Joseph Kessler**  
 Joseph L. Kessler, age 78, of Grayling died Wednesday, April 27, 1988, at Mercy Hospital. He was retired and was formerly employed at Mercy Hospital.  
 Born March 27, 1910, in Cheboygan to Louis and Lola (Cassidy) Kessler, he was very active at the Senior Citizen's Center, where he was a member of the Kitchen Band, and the history class. He was also a volunteer in RSVP, as well as being the Disc Jockey for the dances at Grayling Health Care Center.  
 Survivors include one brother, Jerome Kessler, and wife, Billie, of Grayling, friend, Frances Olsen of Grayling and several nieces and nephews.  
 Funeral services were held Saturday, April 30, at 1 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church. The Reverend Gerald Micketti officiated assisted by Deacon Bob Nolan. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were George, Roger, James, Thomas, Brian, and Kevin Kessler. A scriptural Wake Service was conducted Friday evening at Sorenson Funeral Home. The family suggests memorial gifts be directed to the Michigan Heart Association.

**Blanche LaMotte**  
 Blanche I. LaMotte, age 91, of Grayling, died Saturday, April 30, 1988, at Mercy Manor. She was a homemaker, and a member of St. Mary's Church.  
 Born November 15, 1898, to George and Clara (Jones) Maxson in Vienna, Michigan, she was preceded in death by her husband, John in 1985. She is survived by one son, Kermit A. LaMotte, of Grayling, and several nieces and nephews.  
 A Memorial Mass was held Tuesday, May 10, at 10 a.m. at the St. Mary's Catholic Church. The Reverend Gerald Micketti officiating, assisted by Deacon Bob Nolan.

**Elsie Carlson**  
 Elsie M. (Williams) Carlson, 101, died Tuesday, March 29, 1988, at Provincial House, where she had been a patient since 1976.  
 She was born October 3, 1886, in Arapaho, Neb., and attended Normal College, College Springs, Iowa. She taught school at age 16 until her marriage at age 22. She later moved to Michigan where she raised a family of seven. She was employed from 1946 to 1958 in the offices of the Former Battle Creek Food Co. She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Battle Creek.  
 Preceded in death by husband, Julius Victor Carlburg Carlson in 1968, she is survived by sons, Julius R. Carlson, of Pearl City, Hawaii, William W. Carlson, of Melbourne, Florida, John A. Carlson, of Crewe, VA and Arthur Y. Carlson, of Grayling, daughters, Beulah Nelson, Kathryn Pastor, and Virginia Olmstead, all of Battle Creek. Also 24 grandchildren, 43 great-grandchildren, and 25 great-great-grandchildren.  
 Funeral services were held Saturday, April 2, at Lehman Chapel, Shaw Funeral Home. Grandson Richard H. Carlson, of Grayling was one of the six grandsons who were pallbearers.

**Card of Thanks**  
 We would like to thank everyone who sent flowers and cards to our husband and father, Albert Madill during his recent illness and death. Also a big thank you to everyone who sent food to our homes and the Frederic women for the lovely luncheon after the funeral.  
 Joan Kaiser  
 Jim & Mary Ann Madill  
 Dianne Thomas  
 Margret Cross

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### Obituary Notice

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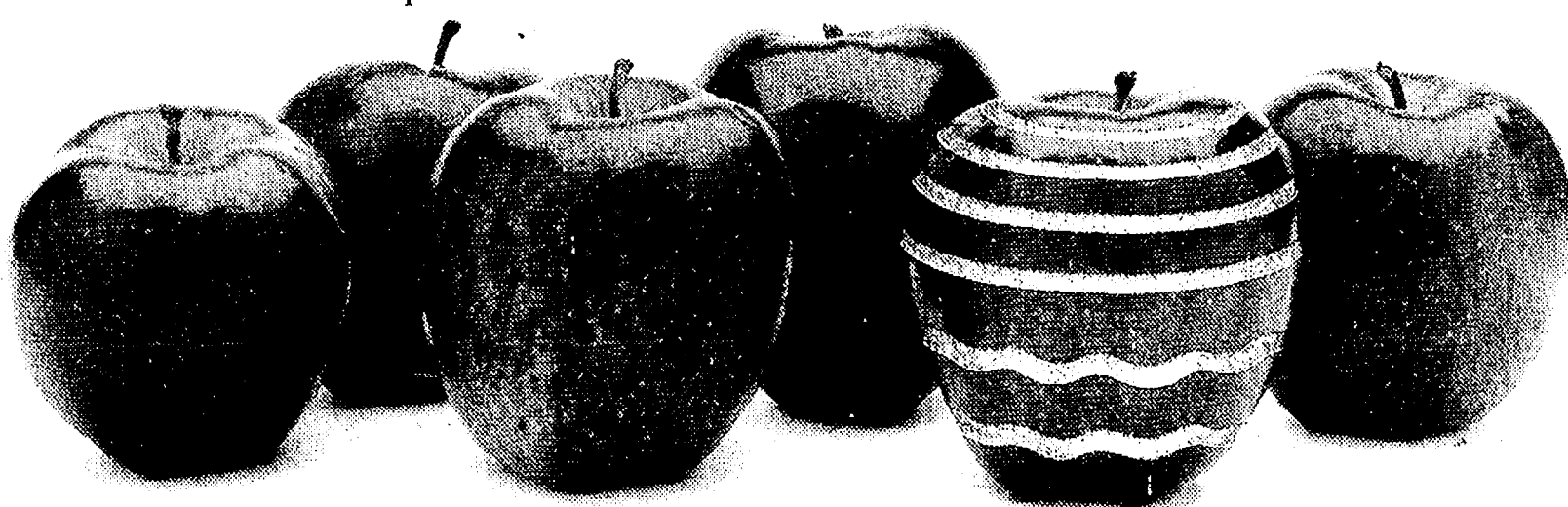


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## LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF CRAWFORD AuSABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT CRAWFORD, OTSEGO & KALKASKA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the annual school election of the school district will be held on

**Monday, June 13, 1988**

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1988, is

**Monday, May 16, 1988**

PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, MAY 16, 1988, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

Pauline F. Petrosky  
 Secretary, Board of Education

### ADDENDUM

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Regular Biennial Election of C.O.O.R. Intermediate School District, Michigan, will be held in conjunction with the Annual School Election.

### ADDENDUM

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Regular Biennial Election of Kirtland Community College, Michigan, will be held in conjunction with the Annual School Election.



## Huron-Manistee National Forests

## TIMBER SALE

HAGMAN'S END TIMBER SALE, located within sections 32 and 33 T26N R1E, Michigan Meridian, Oscoda County, Michigan. Sealed bids will be received at the Mio District Office, Mio, Michigan up to 11:00 A.M. local time on May 24, 1988 for an estimated 211 Mbf. The estimated sampling error is 20 percent and the advertised sale value is \$2014.77.

The required bid guarantee is \$200.00 and must accompany the sealed bid. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. A prospectus and other information concerning this sale may be obtained from the District Ranger at Mio, Michigan or the Forest Supervisor's Office at 421 S. Mitchell Street, Cadillac, Michigan.

## Elementary Notes

Math is fun! Because you get to work doing plusses and minuses and getting A's. And spelling is fun. Reading is the best. It's level 4. We read "In the Night." And we read "The Big Carrot."

We're going to plant seeds and we are going to have flowers for Mother's Day.

Dictated by Michael Ritter, Mrs. Yost's first grade.

We like geography. We are studying maps, cities, and states. We have been coloring maps and talking about where the states are. We studied about Washington, D.C. and the White House. We've been studying where the states are on the map.

We saw a movie about baby animals. When the mother fish took the eggs she put them in her mouth and didn't even kill the babies. The baby giraffe was trying to stand up but it kept on falling down. There was a baby kangaroo that came out of its mother's pouch. When the baby cheetahs are born they are very small. By Eddie Davis and Joey Wagner, Miss Johnson's third grade.

We have been working with fractions in Mr. Hatfield's class. We have learned to add them and subtract them. We have been doing them on the board and on papers. I like them very much.

We've been playing Multo. It's a multiplication game. We win balloons or candy. We have nine squares on a card and we have to cover three diagonals or up and down. The teacher reads off a problem and the answer is on our cards. We've been working with math a lot. And we've gone over very easy things. By Jennifer Richardson, Mr. Hatfield's fourth grade.

We have lots of fun in school. We do math. We have fun working on projects. We did one for Easter. We made an Easter bunny basket. We did projects for all of the holidays. We have lots of fun doing arithmetic. We get A's all the time. We like doing addition and subtraction. We like to do spelling book, but not spelling lists. We like going out for recess. We go on the monkey bars and the merry-go-round. Dictated by Aaron Peterson and Jerry

Respecki, Miss Loft's first grade.

In the morning we always start out writing. We learn cursive writing. We always do cursive writing. Before writing on Thursday, we always have gym. Today we practiced volleyball and moves, like hand moves, bunting low fist moves. Yesterday we did music before lunch and then for lunch we had sloppy joes.

We like math, especially times and division that has remainders. We like the teachers, Miss Johnson, Mrs. McEvers, Mr. Brigham, and the principal, Mr. Nunn. By Tony Johnson and Keith Sowulewski, Miss Johnson's third grade.

I like school. I learn new things each time I go to school. I get smarter all the time. I work in my math book. I learn new things in there. My teacher is Mrs. Nunn. And I like Mrs. Nunn. I have a lot of friends in school. And we have outside recess and inside recess. It's fun when we have inside recess. We had two experiments and one was an avocado and its bottom is in the water. We put toothpicks in it to hold it up. We hope it will grow. I checked on it today but it didn't start growing. Dictated by Lindsay Porter, Mrs. Nunn's Yellow Kindergarten.

I like math. It's fun. It's easy. I don't like writing the numbers out but I like figuring out the problems in my head.

I like going to music class. We go to Mrs. Emerick's room. It's down the next hall. We sing. We play games with music. We sing funny songs, like "Johnny Lost His Marble" and "Suzie Had a Baby. She plays records. By Kristy Kauffman, Mrs. Akers' fourth grade.

## Middle School News

On Wednesday, March 9th, Mrs. Denman came into our 2nd hour advanced studies class. She showed us a movie called The Wind. It was about air pollution. It showed Isle Royal which, after being studied, was found to be more polluted than Lake Superior. In the movie they also showed a fish swimming in the water. They broke open bird eggs which they knew were deformed. Inside the eggs the deformed birds had tumors, and organs on the outside of their bodies.

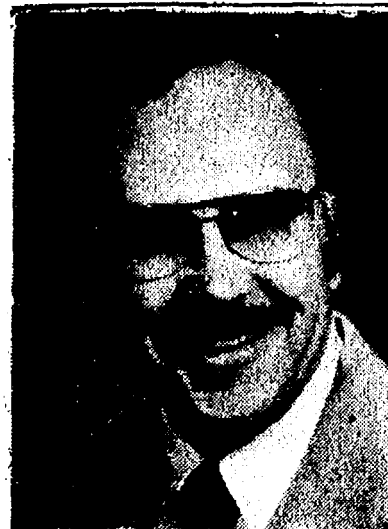
The movie was very interesting and really got you thinking about pollution. Mrs. Denman also answered most of the questions we asked. She told us what she did and how she was involved in stopping pollution. Mrs. Denman was very informative and it was nice to have her come to our room. By Nicole Sloan, Advanced Studies Class.

In advanced studies we have been learning about the ozone, and the environment. We have learned most of the goods, bads, and do's and don't about the ozone. On March 9th, Mrs. Denman came in and showed us a movie about the dangerous chemicals companies are putting in our air and water.

The movie also showed some effects the chemicals could have on the water animals and the other animals that feed on them. The movie showed that some harmful effects could be dangerous tumors, birth defects, and other problems with the animals born and unborn bodies. Many of our water birds won't ever hatch because of all the chemicals in our world. My question is, we have the world in our hands, why are we hurting it? In the end are we just going to get hurt? By Katie Smock, Advanced Studies.

## Less Fat

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## Michigan Mirror

## Tuition Guarantee Win Favorable IRS Ruling

By Warren M. Hoyt  
Michigan Press Association

Following a favorable Internal Revenue Service ruling, Governor James J. Blanchard said the college tuition guarantee program, the Michigan Education Trust, will go forward immediately and probably enroll participants by late spring.

The IRS ruled that while there are tax consequences to some aspects of the program, there are none on the purchasers. Implementation of the 1986 act was being held up pending the ruling.

Richard Cole, president of the Michigan Education Trust and Blanchard's special advisor on the future of higher education, said although he has not seen the actual ruling, he has the sense it will make the state program most costly.

He said the ruling will have some implications on the tax status of the trust itself and the trust, as a corporate body, may be subject to taxation.

Cole said the ruling will have an effect on the investment strategy as taxable investments would yield higher returns but be subject to federal taxation while non-taxable investments, not subject to federal taxation, would yield a lower rate.

The tax consequences will be determined on what type of investments the fund makes, he noted. Cole said this could make the program most costly to parents.

Cole said the year-long IRS process was not unusual in that it "addressed a very comprehensive question to a very complex issue."

He said the ruling could have very serious tax/revenue consequences to the federal government. He said he was not happy with everything in the ruling, but it would allow the MET program to go forward. "It (the ruling) reflects the current tax laws and we will live with that," he said.

The trust fund president noted a market study conducted by Michigan State University indicated a great demand to participate in the tuition guarantee program.

He added a New Jersey investment marketing organization selling on the theory of protecting the future college tuitions of children has been very successful in Michigan due to the awareness of citizens of the MET program. "This is a good reason to believe the program will be well received,"

he said. Depending upon the initial demand, Mr. Cole said that the state will probably have to limit participation. He said there would have to be some measuring of age of student, cost of projected tuition and determine future participation. He suggested the program would be opened on "some variation of first-come, first-served."

He said he anticipated everybody who signs a contract and makes the proper financial arrangements within the first week or so to be accepted.

"At that point, we may pause to determine how the next round will go," he said.

## STATE BOARD SPONSORING HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL WORKSHOPS

The State Board of Education is sponsoring a series of workshops to teach

Michigan school districts how to dispose of hazardous waste material in accordance with state law.

The regional workshops, which will be held from late March through early May at eight different locations around the state, will assist school personnel in developing a waste management plan to handle small quantities properly.

Interim State Superintendent of Public Instruction Gary Hawks said the Department of Natural Resources plans to begin monitoring local school districts to determine if waste is managed and disposed according to state regulations.

"Each school district has a legal responsibility to dispose of hazardous waste material in a manner that will protect the environment and human health," Hawks said.

## Grayling Township Notice

Please be notified the Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on May 16, 1988, at 7:00 p.m. in the township office, West M-72 Plaza. The following case will be heard:

Case No. 88-3: Charles McKelvey, petitioner T26N, R2W, Sec. 4, G-B Zone. A request to replace steps and a platform within the native protection strip.

Tentative text and zoning maps may be examined at the Township Office during regular business hours.

Correspondence concerning the requests should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI 49738. (Tel. (517) 348-4361).

Monica S. Ashton, Clerk

## FREDERIC TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Frederic Township Board will conduct a public hearing beginning at 7:30 p.m. on May 10, 1988 at the Frederic Township Hall, 7564 Kelly Avenue, Frederic, Michigan to hear objections concerning the creation of a special assessment district for the following purpose:

To defray 25% of the cost of certain road improvements (black topping) for Batterson Road East of Old 27 and also West of Old 27 to County Road 612.

Harold Mertes  
Township Supervisor

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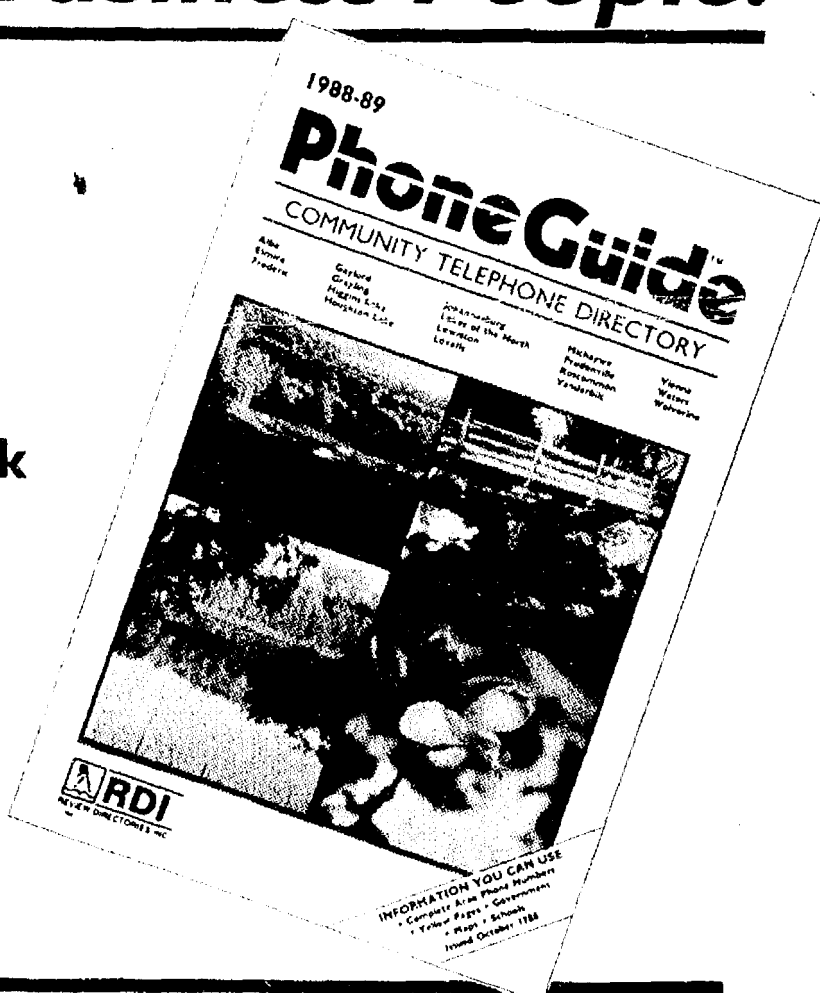
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### THURSDAY

May 05, 1988											
HBO 2	WKBD 3 [50]	WPBN 4 [7]	TNN 5	WCMU 6	CBN 7	MGTV 8 [29]	WGN 9	WTV 10 [9]	ESPN 11	TBS 12	
7 Movie: Seabert	Today Show	Business Body Elect	Superbook	Good Morning	Muppets	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse			
8 Three Amigos	Hills Teens	Mr. Rogers	Gospel Bill	America	Bozo Show		Business	Billings			
9 Phil: Marlowe	Donahue	Fandango	Sesame	Father/Best	PTL Club	Smurfs	Magnum P.I.	Little House			
10 Phil: Marlowe	Little Pony	Sale/Century	Crook/Chase	Mr. Rogers	700 Club	Bewitched	Beaver	Pyramid			
11 Gossip According	700 Club	Wh/Fortune	Amer. Mag	Comrades	Kitchen	Who's Boss	Waltons	Getting Fil			
12 To Vic	700 Club	News	Happy	Reading	Strait	Ryan's Hope	Geraldo	Body/Motion			
1 Moonlight	A Grifflin	Days Of	Theatre	Deat/Elle	Honeymoon	News	Restless	Hockey			
2 Every Time	Dukes Of	Our Lives	Fandango	Progress	Doris Day	One Life	D Van Dyke	As The			
3 We Say	Gilligan's	World	Video/Crook	Home	General	Beaver	Guiding	Truck			
4 Goodbye	Smurfs	Hour	Nashville	Sesame	Hazel	Oprah	Baseball	Wrestling			
5 Lucas	Ducktales	People's Cl	News	Reading	Honeymoon	World Of	3's Company	Baseball			
6	Di/Strokes	Good Times	Fandango	Gourmet	Big Valley	Mach	ABC News	Sports/Week			
7 Three Amigos	Sit/Spoons	Ent Tonight	Crook/Chase	Business	Remington	Wh/Fortune	Cheers	Family Ties			
8	Family Ties	Cosby	Nashville	Ask The Dr.	Crazy Like	Max	Mov	48 Hours			
9 Deatly Friend	"Silent	Cherry	New Country	Mach	Strait	Buck James	News	Tractor			
10 Tanner 88	Rags	L.A. Law	Gourmet	Macneil/	Strait	Strait	News	Knit's			
11 Every Time	News	News	Be A Star	Firing Line	Remington	News	Twilight	News			
12 Goodbye	Sanford	Show	Nashville	Paper Chase	Paper Chase	Vitamins	Mov: "Emma"	Sedan Cup			

### FRIDAY

May 06, 1988											
HBO 2	WKBD 3 [50]	WPBN 4 [7]	TNN 5	WCMU 6	CBN 7	MGTV 8 [29]	WGN 9	WTV 10 [9]	ESPN 11	TBS 12	
7 Kids/Kids	Today Show	Business Body Elect	Superbook	Good Morning	Muppets	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse			
8 As Summers	Hills Teens	Mr. Rogers	Gospel Bill	America	Bozo Show		Business	Billings			
9 Code Name: Emerald	Donahue	Fandango	Sesame	Father/Best	PTL Club	Smurfs	Magnum P.I.	Little House			
10 The Allnighter	Little Pony	Sale/Century	Crook/Chase	Mr. Rogers	700 Club	Bewitched	Beaver	Pyramid			
11	700 Club	Wh/Fortune	Amer. Mag	Comrades	Kitchen	Who's Boss	Waltons	Getting Fil			
12	700 Club	News	Happy	Reading	Strait	Ryan's Hope	Geraldo	Body/Motion			
1 My American Cousin	A Grifflin	Days Of	Theatre	Deat/Elle	Honeymoon	News	Restless	Hockey			
2 The Wrath	Dukes Of	Our Lives	Fandango	Progress	Doris Day	One Life	D Van Dyke	As The			
3	Gilligan's	World	Video/Crook	Home	General	Beaver	Guiding	Truck			
4	Smurfs	Hour	Nashville	Sesame	Hazel	Oprah	Baseball	Wrestling			
5	Ducktales	People's Cl	News	Reading	Honeymoon	World Of	3's Company	Baseball			
6	Di/Strokes	Good Times	Fandango	Gourmet	Big Valley	Mach	ABC News	Sports/Week			
7	Sit/Spoons	Ent Tonight	Crook/Chase	Business	Remington	Wh/Fortune	Cheers	Family Ties			
8	Family Ties	Cosby	Nashville	Ask The Dr.	Crazy Like	Max	Mov	48 Hours			
9	"Silent	Cherry	New Country	Mach	Strait	Buck James	News	Tractor			
10	Rags	L.A. Law	Gourmet	Macneil/	Strait	Strait	News	Knit's			
11	News	News	Be A Star	Firing Line	Remington	News	Twilight	News			
12	Sanford	Show	Nashville	Paper Chase	Paper Chase	Vitamins	Mov: "Emma"	Sedan Cup			

### SATURDAY

May 07, 1988											
HBO 2	WKBD 3 [50]	WPBN 4 [7]	TNN 5	WCMU 6	CBN 7	MGTV 8 [29]	WGN 9	WTV 10 [9]	ESPN 11	TBS 12	
7 Movie Cont	Today Show	Business Body Elect	Superbook	Good Morning	Muppets	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse			
8	This Week	Mr. Rogers	Gospel Bill	America	Bozo Show		Business	Billings			
9	Fall Guy	Donahue	Fandango	Sesame	Father/Best	PTL Club	Smurfs	Magnum P.I.			
10	The Spiral	Little Pony	Sale/Century	Crook/Chase	Mr. Rogers	700 Club	Bewitched	Beaver			
11	Phil: Marlowe	700 Club	Wh/Fortune	Amer. Mag	Comrades	Kitchen	Who's Boss	Waltons			
12	Marlowe	700 Club	News	Happy	Reading	Strait	Ryan's Hope	Geraldo			
1	Anthem	Chips	Days Of	Theatre	Deat/Elle	Honeymoon	News	Restless			
2	Secret Of	"The Blob"	Our Lives	Fandango	Progress	Doris Day	One Life	D Van Dyke			
3	My Success	Explorers	World	Video/Crook	Home	General	Beaver	Guiding			
4	Walk Like	Smurfs	Hour	Nashville	Sesame	Hazel	Oprah	Baseball			
5	A Man	Ducktales	People's Cl	News	Reading	Honeymoon	World Of	3's Company			
6	The Sluggish	Di/Strokes	Good Times	Fandango	Gourmet	Big Valley	Mach	ABC News			
7	Sluggish	Sit/Spoons	Ent Tonight	Crook/Chase	Business	Remington	Wh/Fortune	Cheers			
8	Extreme	Family Ties	Cosby	Nashville	Ask The Dr.	Crazy Like	Max	Mov			
9	Buddy	"Silent	Cherry	New Country	Mach	Strait	Buck James	News			
10	Hack	Rags	L.A. Law	Gourmet	Macneil/	Strait	News	Knit's			
11	My Success	News	News	Be A Star	Firing Line	Remington	News	Twilight			
12	Weekend	Sanford	Show	Nashville	Paper Chase	Paper Chase	Vitamins	Mov: "Emma"			

### MONDAY

May 09, 1988											
HBO 2	WKBD 3 [50]	WPBN 4 [7]	TNN 5	WCMU 6	CBN 7	MGTV 8 [29]	WGN 9	WTV 10 [9]	ESPN 11	TBS 12	
7 Kids/Kids	Today Show	Business Body Elect	Superbook	Good Morning	Muppets	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse			
8	Every Time	Hills Teens	Mr. Rogers	Gospel Bill	America	Bozo Show		Business			
9	Goodbye	Donahue	Fandango	Sesame	Father/Best	PTL Club	Smurfs	Magnum P.I.			
10	Phil: Marlowe	Little Pony	Sale/Century	Crook/Chase	Mr. Rogers	700 Club	Bewitched	Beaver			
11	Return Of	700 Club	Wh/Fortune	Amer. Mag	Comrades	Kitchen	Who's Boss	Waltons			
12	The Secret Of	700 Club	News	Happy	Reading	Strait	Ryan's Hope	Geraldo			
1	As Summers	A Grifflin	Days Of	Theatre	Deat/Elle	Honeymoon	News	Restless			
2	Kids On	Dukes Of	Our Lives	Fandango	Progress	Doris Day	One Life	D Van Dyke			
3	Daily Duck	Gilligan's	World	Video/Crook	Home	General	Beaver	Guiding			
4	Movie	Smurfs	Hour	Nashville	Sesame	Hazel	Oprah	Baseball			
5	They Call	Ducktales	People's Cl	News	Reading	Honeymoon	World Of	3's Company			
6	From Star	Di/Strokes	Good Times	Fandango	Gourmet	Big Valley	Mach	ABC News			
7	Ways To	Sit/Spoons	Ent Tonight	Crook/Chase	Business	Remington	Wh/Fortune	Cheers			
8	Return Of	Family Ties	Cosby	Nashville	Ask The Dr.	Crazy Like	Max	Mov			
9	"Wanted	"Silent	Cherry	New Country	Mach	Strait	Buck James	News			
10	Dead Or	Rags	L.A. Law	Gourmet	Macneil/	Strait	News	Knit's			
11	Alive	News	News	Be A Star	Firing Line	Remington	News	Twilight			
12	Opposing	Sanford	Show	Nashville	Paper Chase	Paper Chase	Vitamins	Mov: "Emma"			

### WEDNESDAY

May 11, 1988											
HBO 2	WKBD 3 [50]	WPBN 4 [7]	TNN 5	WCMU 6	CBN 7	MGTV 8 [29]	WGN 9	WTV 10 [9]	ESPN 11	TBS 12	
7 Movie Cont	Today Show	Business Body Elect	Superbook	Good Morning	Muppets	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse			
8	The Sluggish	Hills Teens	Mr. Rogers	Gospel Bill	America	Bozo Show		Business			
9	Phil: Marlowe	Donahue	Fandango	Sesame	Father/Best	PTL Club	Smurfs	Magnum P.I.			
10	Game Mother	Little Pony	Sale/Century	Crook/Chase	Mr. Rogers	700 Club	Bewitched	Beaver			
11	Taught You	700 Club	Wh/Fortune	Amer. Mag	Comrades	Kitchen	Who's Boss	Waltons			
12	Return Of	700 Club	News	Happy	Reading	Strait	Ryan's Hope	Geraldo			
1	The Mission	A Grifflin	Days Of	Theatre	Deat/Elle	Honeymoon	News	Restless			
2	Die	Dukes Of	Our Lives	Fandango	Progress	Doris Day	One Life	D Van Dyke			
3	Kids On	Gilligan's	World	Video/Crook	Home	General	Beaver	Guiding			
4	Phantom	Smurfs	Hour	Nashville	Sesame	Hazel	Oprah	Baseball			
5	Code Name	Ducktales	People's Cl	News	Reading	Honeymoon	World Of	3's Company			
6	Just Between	Di/Strokes	Good Times	Fandango	Gourmet	Big Valley	Mach	ABC News			
7	Friends	Sit/Spoons	Ent Tonight	Crook/Chase	Business	Remington	Wh/Fortune	Cheers			
8	Salvador	Family Ties	Cosby	Nashville	Ask The Dr.	Crazy Like	Max	Mov			
9	"Wanted	"Silent	Cherry	New Country	Mach	Strait	Buck James	News			
10	Dead Or	Rags	L.A. Law	Gourmet	Macneil/	Strait	News	Knit's			
11	The Mission	News	News	Be A Star	Firing Line	Remington	News	Twilight			
12	Opposing	Sanford	Show	Nashville	Paper Chase	Paper Chase	Vitamins	Mov: "Emma"			

### TUESDAY

May 10, 1988											
HBO 2	WKBD 3 [50]	WPBN 4 [7]	TNN 5	WCMU 6	CBN 7	MGTV 8 [29]	WGN 9	WTV 10 [9]	ESPN 11	TBS 12	
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8	Seabert	Hills Teens	Mr. Rogers	Gospel Bill	America	Bozo Show		Business			
9	Anthem	Donahue	Fandango	Sesame	Father/Best	PTL Club	Smurfs	Magnum P.I.			
10	Phil: Marlowe	Little Pony	Sale/Century	Crook/Chase	Mr. Rogers	700 Club	Bewitched	Beaver			
11	Gossip According	700 Club	Wh/Fortune	Amer. Mag	Comrades	Kitchen	Who's Boss	Waltons			
12	The Secret Of	700 Club	News	Happy	Reading	Strait	Ryan's Hope	Geraldo			
1	My American Cousin	A Grifflin	Days Of	Theatre	Deat/Elle	Honeymoon	News	Restless			
2	Success	Dukes Of	Our Lives	Fandango	Progress	Doris Day	One Life	D Van Dyke			
3	Under The	Gilligan's	World	Video/Crook	Home	General	Beaver	Guiding			
4	Rankin	Smurfs	Hour	Nashville	Sesame	Hazel	Oprah	Baseball			
5	Survival	Ducktales	People's Cl	News	Reading	Honeymoon	World Of	3's Company			
6	Just Between	Di/Strokes	Good Times	Fandango	Gourmet	Big Valley	Mach	ABC News			
7	Friends	Sit/Spoons	Ent Tonight	Crook/Chase	Business	Remington	Wh/Fortune	Cheers			
8	American	Family Ties	Cosby	Nashville	Ask The Dr.	Crazy Like	Max	Mov			
9	"Wanted	"Silent	Cherry	New Country	Mach	Strait	Buck James	News			
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## GPA Continues Community Service Project Work

The Grayling Promotional Association continues their community service tradition with their projects. The women will act as hostesses as the Chamber of Commerce Last Vegas Night to be held at the Holiday Inn on Friday, May 6. At the last meeting held on Tuesday, April 26, at the Chief Shoppe-nagons, they also voted to

support the Camp Grayling Minuteman Foundation with a donation.

A letter, composed by one of the members, was read to the group. The letter was to Michigan Living magazine stating the association's disapproval of the very negative article printed in one of its recent issues about the Grayling

area. The ribbon cutting ceremony for one of Grayling's newest businesses, Kathleen's Plus Fashions, was announced. We urge all business women interested in promoting the area to come join the group. Meetings are held every Tuesday noon at the hotel.



**GRAYLING** Regional  
 Chamber of Commerce

## Calendar of Events

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| May 5<br>4:00-8:00 p.m.<br>6:00-7:30 p.m. | Blood Bank in Frederic<br>Grace Wegner Campaign Benefit Dinner.<br>Cocktails at 6:00-7:30. Dinner at 7:30<br>serving Prime Rib \$10 per person Red Barn.<br>Bishops Task Force on Alcohol & Substance<br>Abuse. Mercy Hospital Board Room.  |
| 7:30 p.m.                                 | V.F.W. #3736 meeting at Frederic Township<br>Hall.  |
| May 6<br>11:30                            | C.O.A. Frederic Satellite<br>National Nurses' Day. Do something nice<br>for a nurse.  |
| 8:00 p.m.                                 | Millionaire party at Holiday Inn sponsored<br>by the Grayling Regional Chamber of Com-<br>merce. Night long entertainment, monster<br>50/50 ticket included in entry fee, playing<br>chips included in entry fee, car raffle, over-<br>night lodging raffles. Come join in the fun. |
| May 7<br>9:00 a.m.                        | March of Dimes Walkathon. Registration<br>9:00-10:00 starts at Grayling Health Care<br>Center. Walk begins at 10:00. For more in-<br>formation call 348-2801 X 26 Walk America<br>help fight birth defects.   |
| May 8<br>3:00 p.m.                        | Mother's Day<br>Alcoholics Anonymous meeting at St.<br>Francis' Episcopal Church.   |
| 6:00 p.m.                                 | Hanson Hills Bingo at K of C Hall   |
| 7:00 p.m.                                 | Boy Scout meeting behind Goodale's Bakery   |
| May 9<br>7:00 p.m.                        | V.F.W. Auxiliary No. 3736 meets at<br>American Legion.  |
| 7:00 p.m.                                 | Youth Booster Bingo at Patti's Country<br>House.  |
| May 11<br>6:30 p.m.                       | K of C Bingo<br>C.O.A. Blood pressure & Blood sugar - Walk<br>in basis  |
| May 12<br>5:30 p.m.                       | C.O.A. Board meeting  |

## Blackjack, Beat the Dealer, Among Las Vegas Night Games Offered

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Las Vegas entertainment is coming to Grayling Friday, May 6, when the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce sponsors Las Vegas Night at the Grayling Holiday Inn.

Doors will open at 7:30 p.m. and the games will begin at 8:00 p.m. Games will consist of Blackjack tables, a money wheel, and two dice games: Beat the Dealer and The Bang Table. A \$10 entry fee purchases one Monster 50/50 ticket and 5 free chips.

A cash bar, refreshments, and live entertainment including the Senior Citizen Kitchen Band and humorous skits will be available throughout the evening.

Las Vegas Night will also feature an "experienced car" raffle and two "over-night" drawings for the Hospitality House and the North Country Lodge.

Tables close at 1:00 a.m.

## Main Street Florals Becomes FTD Member

Main Street Florals of Grayling has been accepted as a Member of Florists' Transworld Delivery (FTD) Association, the world's oldest and largest inter-city flowers-by-wire delivery organization.

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## Fisher Named Boss of Year

Valerie Fisher, owner of Stride Inc., was presented with The Boss of the Year Award by the Grayling Chapter of the American Business Women's Association at their April 19th meeting.

Stride Inc., is a speech therapy agency that is well-respected by other home care facilities. The company grew in four years from a one-person agency which covered 1 county, to having twelve employees covering 37 counties. Fisher was recommended for the award by business associate Catherine Moss.

## Business

### Matyn Earns U of M Degree

Marian Jane Matyn received the degree, Master of Information and Library Studies, at commencement ceremonies in Ann Arbor on Saturday, April 30th.

Attending the University of Michigan spring commencement were her parents, George and Rosalia and sisters, Alice and Rosemary Spears.

### Frederic Hobby Club Hosts Annual Banquet

The Frederic Hobby Club is having their annual Mother and Daughter Banquet Monday, May 9, at 5:30 p.m. Each one is asked to bring a dish to pass and their own table service. The banquet will be held at the club house.

An invitation is extended to the ladies and daughters of the community. You are required to pre-register, because of limited space. For reservations call Annabelle Armstrong 348-8008, Betty Lepper 348-2219, Vi Middleton 348-8364.

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Case No. U-8931

## NOTICE OF HEARING ON APPLICATION FOR WAIVER OF RESTRICTIONS ON PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES

On October 30, 1987, Michigan Consolidated Gas Company (MichCon) filed an application with the Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) for a waiver of restrictions on certain promotional practices.

The application was amended on March 21, 1988. MichCon states that there are numerous natural gas technologies which may help its customers to minimize costs. It cites, in particular, steel ladle heating, high-temperature recuperation, oxygen/natural gas burners, ceramic fiber burners, firetube boiler fiber burners, insulation and improved refractory linings, improved process heating equipment, natural gas-fired waterheating systems, natural gas-fired air conditioning systems, new fuel line systems, and modern high-efficiency natural gas appliances.

MichCon proposes to provide contributions to develop these technologies and help reduce initial investment costs to its customers, thereby encouraging customers to take advantage of them. MichCon requests that the Commission issue a waiver of the restrictions on promotional practices in order for it to provide assistance to its customers, including performing or financing feasibility studies concerning incorporation of the technologies, leasing or participating in joint ventures for construction of new facilities, providing third-party financing or participating in shared savings arrangements, and providing such other financial support, all as may be appropriate.

Jurisdiction is pursuant to 1909 PA 300, as amended, MCLA 462.2 et seq.; 1919 PA 419, as amended, MCLA 460.51 et seq.; 1939 PA 3, as amended, MCLA 460.1 et seq.; 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCLA 24.201 et seq.; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 1979 Administrative Code, R 460.11 et seq.

### NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that:

A. A public hearing in this matter will be held at 9:00 a.m. on May 25, 1988 in the offices of the Commission, Mercantile Building, 6545 Mercantile Way, Lansing, Michigan 48909. The hearing will be in the nature of a prehearing conference and will be held for the purpose of considering matters which will expedite this proceeding. Any interested persons may attend the hearing and participate, subject to the provisions of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

B. Any person seeking to intervene in accordance with Rule 11 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the Commission shall file with this Commission, on or before May 20, 1988, an original and 12 copies of a Petition to Intervene, with a Proof of Service indicating service upon MichCon's Attorney, Mr. Daniel L. Schiffer, Michigan Consolidated Gas Company, 500 Griswold Street, Detroit, Michigan 48226.

Subparagraph (2) of said Rule 11 provides as follows:

"(2) A petition to intervene shall set out clearly and concisely the facts supporting the petitioner's alleged right or interest, the grounds of the proposed intervention, and the position of the petitioner in the proceeding, so as fully and completely to advise the parties and the commission of the specific issues of fact or law to be raised or controverted." (Emphasis added)

The Commission will require strict compliance with the above-quoted rule.

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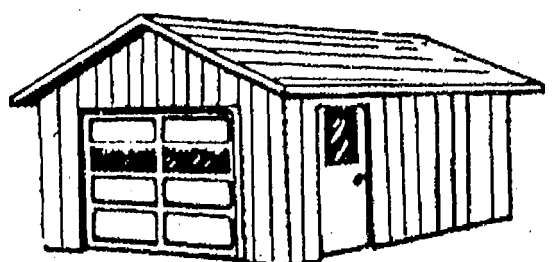
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# Fred Bear, 1902 - 1988: Grayling Knew Him Well



Bear talks with hunters at Bear Paw Landing in Canada in 1974.



Bear, Russ Wright, of Grayling, and two other companions on the Valiant Maid in Alaska.



Fred in workshop at Grayling

## Fred Bear

### "The Man in the Borsalino Hat"

"Fred Bear is a soft-spoken, whang-leather outdoorsman who knows most birds and wild flowers by name and always wears a sprig of fresh-picked greenery in the band of his soft felt Borsalino hat. With his jug-handle ears, bulging jawbones and shambling, but sure-footed walk, he much resembles his namesake. Because he is a thirty-third degree master of woodcraft, the moment he gets into the woods to hunt he begins to think like his quarry." So wrote Life Magazine's Don Moser of Fred Bear following a hunting trip together in 1963 in British Columbia.

A professional Alaskan hunting guide and outfitter who has literally seen thousands of hunters in action once remarked, "Fred Bear is the finest natural hunter I've ever known."

Astronaut Joe Engle, fresh from his command of our second U.S. Space Shuttle mission, said on the occasion of his surprise visit to Fred's 80th birthday party, "There's a large percentage of the guys in the Astronaut Office that flat idolize Fred Bear. We idolize Fred because he represents just about everything that can be represented as a hunter, as a conservationist, an outdoorsman, but mostly as a human being . . . Fred represents everything there is American." Engle had hunted with Fred in 1972 in Alaska.

And, John Mitchell, who had first met Fred while researching a critique on hunting entitled "Bitter Harvest" for Audubon Magazine, wrote "In a figurative manner of speaking, I suspect I had come to Grayling looking to bury Caesar, not to praise him . . . I was loaded for Bear, all right — and totally disarmed by him. It was not so much what he said, but how he said it: openly, undefensively, sometimes humorously (and then, at his own expense), often with perception and sensitivity; and always, it seemed to me, with such a large measure of humility for a man so tightly hitched to the practical business necessities of self-promotion . . . I was disarmed, outflanked, and won over . . ."

Someone once said that when Fred Bear first started bowhunting in 1929 you could fit all of the bowhunters in Michigan into the same Model T. And it is largely through his promotional efforts that the number of bowhunters in America today now stands at close to two million. Others have described him as a mid-20th century Henry Ford, a man he greatly admired during his early days in Detroit, for his ability at almost single-handedly building an entire industry. And one source has stated that the Bear Archery Film Library is the single largest collection of outdoor films ever produced on one subject. Perhaps the incisive John Mitchell summed it up best when he wrote of Fred that he was . . . "the Papa Bear of the great outdoors, the archer emeritus, the patron saint of bowhunting in America, the elder statesman of the field sports."

All of these accolades are heady stuff indeed for a farm boy of modest means from the Mennonite country of Pennsylvania. Born March 5, 1902 in Waynesboro during the worst snowstorm of the winter, Fred very easily could have followed the footsteps of his father, Harry Bear, and stayed forever in the comfortable confines of the Cumberland Valley. That he did not made all the difference and is due in large part to the influence of his Uncle Charley Bear, who lived and worked in New York City, stimulated no doubt by an inventive family tradition exemplified by his mother's uncle, Daniel Drawbaugh, who was considered by many to have been the original inventor of the telephone. Alexander Graham Bell won a lengthy Supreme Court battle with Drawbaugh over the matter by just one vote.

Following a childhood highlighted with hunting and trapping near his home, and with Uncle Charley's help, Fred journeyed at age 21 to Detroit, Michigan where he found work as a patternmaker at Packard Motor Car Company. In 1925 he moved over to Chrysler and then later ran an advertising silk-screening plant for the automotive trade.

One day in 1927 a chance visit to the Adams Theatre in Detroit changed the course of Fred Bear's life and ultimately led to the creation of a new form of outdoor recreation for millions of people around the globe. Fred and a friend, Ray Stannard, saw a film titled "Alaskan Adventures" depicting the bowhunting exploits of a Californian by the name of Arthur Young. Young and his friends, Saxton Pope and Will "Chief" Compton had learned many of their bowhunting skills from Ishi, the last primitive Indian in America who was discovered in 1911. Before Ishi's premature death of tuberculosis in 1916 the group often hunted together, thus passing along Ishi's ancient archery skills to the new Americans. The film captivated Fred's interest and in 1927, when he finally met Art Young on a visit the famous bowhunter made to Detroit, Fred's lifelong bowhunting quest began in earnest. Young and he huddled together in Fred's basement workshop where the experienced archer taught the newcomer how to make bows, arrows and handmade Irish linen bowstrings. They roved the fields near Detroit while the older man helped Fred hone his archery skills. And many years after Young's death in 1935 Fred would recall with fond memories the hours the two spent together stump and field shooting.

In 1933, during the height of the Great Depression, Fred and a friend, Charles Piper, pooled their resources of \$600 and started the Bear Products Company in a small rented garage on Tireman Avenue in Detroit. Their primary products were silkscreen advertising banners and flyers for Chrysler automobile dealers across the country. But, off in one corner Fred handcrafted archery equipment for his growing circle of friends who appreciated the fine craftsmanship that his patternmaker's training brought to the ancient art of the archery bowyer. By 1939 they had expanded to the point that a third move to larger quarters was necessary and since his small archery business could now support him, the two dissolved their partnership with Piper staying with the silkscreen business and Fred launching out on his own as the Bear Archery Company.

Fred began bowhunting in 1929 and his first real hunting bow was turned out of an \$8 Osage Orange stave purchased from Fred Kibbe in Coldwater, Michigan. He finally connected on a whitetail deer in 1935 beginning a long string of big game animals downed with bow and arrow. Although he had been a rifle hunter all his life, the new challenge of getting close to the animal with the shorter range bow appealed to this raw-boned woodsman and he was hooked on it for life. But, in order to be able to make a living at doing what he liked best, he first had to build a market for his products. And so he first tackled target archery, winning three Michigan State Championships in the process in 1934, 1937 and 1939, thereby widening his archery reputation. He also began barnstorming on the sports show circuit so popular in those days putting on archery exhibitions each year in places like Cleveland, Chicago, Minneapolis, and St. Louis. He was also instrumental in helping promote the first bowhunting season in Michigan in 1936, seeing it as a splendid opportunity as both a hunter and as a businessman to help build the young sport of bowhunting.

In 1942 Fred and Detroit Free Press Editor Jack Van Coevering journeyed to the Blaney area of Michigan's Upper Peninsula to make the first Bear Archery hunting film. Friday the 13th proved to be lucky for the two as on that day they were able to down a nice buck and record the adventure on film. This gave Fred something he could show to gun clubs and sportsman's groups to help promote bowhunting. In a sense, it was a direct take-off on the first bowhunting film he had ever seen, Art Young's "Alaskan Adventures". And it was a formula that he would follow down the years to build his company and sport, filming a hunt and then using film and story to promote sales and seasons. His easily recognizable trademark soon became his Borsalino hat and he would always wear it over the years to set him apart on both films and still photography. Trips to Canada soon followed where in 1945 he downed a moose with his bow and in 1946 his first bear. He turned all into stories for the archery enthusiast's magazines and area newspapers.

Desirous of being closer to his favorite bowhunting and flyfishing territory in northern lower Michigan, Fred moved his archery plant there in 1947. The small town of Grayling was ideally suited for a hunting-oriented company being situated there as it was between the

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1) Fred Bear and guide Ed Bilderback hide behind rock on Alaskan peninsula in May 1962 waiting for brown bear.



2) Fred draws bow and shoots the brown bear from 20 feet away. The bear ran 90 yards down the beach and died 20 seconds after he was shot.

## Fred Bear

### "The Man in the Borsalino Hat"

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AuSable State Forest and the Huron National Forest. It was a gentle community setting that matched Fred's personality and that of most archers and bowhunters. And from there Fred journeyed throughout the world, always returning to the simplicity of the life he built for himself and his employees in the Grayling area. Life during the 1950's and '60's for both Fred Bear and his company seemed to match the often dramatic cyclical flow of the earth itself, being one moment on the open meadow of a mountainside and the next at the roughest part of a valley floor. In 1952 a sudden fire destroyed most of Bear Archery and all of Fred's trophies collected to that point. This came on the heels of the very successful introduction of the Grizzly bow, the first truly mass-produced bow in archery history. Well accepted by the hunting public Bear Archery products now had a national reputation and in the 1950's Fred expanded his hunting horizons to Wyoming. He first hunted in the Lander area at a time when the Wyoming Fish & Game Department counted just four bowhunters in the entire state. He took his first antelope in 1952.

In 1955 he boldly flew to Africa following in the footsteps of Art Young and Dr. Saxton Pope who had hunted there in the early part of the century. This gained him worldwide attention and hunts soon followed in the Yukon Territory, British Columbia, Alaska, India, Brazil and back to Africa several more times. On one of these African trips his party included famous radio and television personality Arthur Godfrey who Fred had taught to bowhunt at Grousehaven, his favorite bowhunting area in Michigan. Fred downed an elephant and told of it on Godfrey's radio program broadcast via tapes from Africa. This, coupled with Moser's article in Life Magazine about the same time, and a spate of Fred Bear stories in the outdoor publications helped Bear Archery gain a momentum that took it from a small northern Michigan company to one with worldwide sales and reputation.

In 1966 Fred's inventive genius and promotional tenacity was suitably recognized by his induction into the Sporting Goods Industry Hall of Fame. He was also among the first handful of people inducted into the new Archery Hall of Fame when it was founded in 1972 and later into the prestigious Hunting Hall of Fame. He had earlier been voted membership in the exclusive Explorer's Club and would also be invited to become a member of the Boone & Crockett Club founded by President Theodore Roosevelt. He is also a member of the Adventurer's Club, Polar Equator Club, Safari Club International, Pope & Young Club and the Outdoor Writer's Association of America. He was awarded the W.H. Compton Medal of Honor Award in Archery and was voted Winchester's Outdoorsman of the Year, and holds their Lifetime Career Award.

In the mid 1960's an organization to be known as The Fred Bear Sports Club was suggested. In addition to providing a home for the nation's bowhunters at that time with suitable award patches and recognition, the Fred Bear Sports Club also provided the sport with its first national demographic base. In 1970 the Club was officially kicked off with membership being limited to a handful of professional archers and Astronauts Walt Cunningham (Apollo 7) and Joe Engle (Space Shuttle) and the Astronaut's Trainer Joe D. Garino. Also members were television stars William Shatner (Star Trek) and James Drury (The Virginian). In 1972 the club was opened to the public and counts over 34,000 members since that time in all 50 states and 42 foreign countries. This captive group of bowhunters has provided most of the demographic information used in the promotion and defense of the sport since that time and has been the basis for many studies done by the FBSC for The American Archery Council in recent years. In referring to Fred and the FBSC, Merrill L. Petoskey, former wildlife chief in Michigan and now with the United States Department of Agriculture in Washington, D.C., said that Fred is a "practicing ecologist" and that the Fred Bear Sports Club is "a catalyst toward helping the American citizen better understand the outdoor life as we believe it should be understood - wonderful, awesome, sometimes cruel, but always dynamic and revealing of truth to those who do understand." Since its founding the FBSC has produced three Award winning hunting and fishing films. One of them, "The Good Earth" with Fred and Astronaut Jim Lovell, has been seen by 26,000,000 television viewers on 7,187 telecasts telling the outdoor recreation story. And in the past 8 years there have been over 10,000 showings across America of the Fred Bear bowhunting films to sportsmen's and youth groups. Two of the films have also been seen in over 80,000 showings to community and school groups. In addition, the FBSC has spearheaded the consistent televising of scores of segments on outdoor programs promoting bowhunting and professional fisheries and wildlife management to more than 70% of the U.S. television households in recent years. Most recently FBSC has joined with the prestigious Izaak Walton League of America on a joint Outdoor Ethics Project including a quarterly newsletter featuring Fred Bear and judging the annual broadcast and print communications efforts of the 50 state fish and game departments, and their counterparts in the Canadian provinces. In both Washington, D.C. and out in the grass roots level, the FBSC continues to support and promote the maximum recreational use of our available resources.

In 1966 Fred's collection of bowhunting artifacts, trophies and memorabilia had outgrown the small lobby area of this Grayling office. Most of it had been kept in storage out of public view and so to rectify that and to create new impetus to his lifelong promotion of archery and bowhunting, a spacious Fred Bear Museum was built in an area named Bear Mountain in his honor near the town of Grayling. Between 1966 and 1980 more than 100,000 people a year visited the Fred Bear Museum. Finally, following the move of Bear Archery to Gainesville, Florida, the Museum was closed and is currently in the planning stages for the Florida location. In the meantime, the artifacts and trophies are on display once more in the public tour area of the new plant.

In 1967 Fred and his partners at the time, K.K. Knickerbocker, Dick Mauch and Bob Munger sold Bear Archery to the Victor Comptometer Company of Chicago, Illinois. This enabled a sizable capital expansion of the company, its facilities and its promotional budgets. In 1977 Victor was acquired by Kidde, Inc. of Clifton, New Jersey and Bear Archery continues to this day as a member of the Kidde family of fine companies.

John Mitchell perhaps summed up Fred's journey in his article 'PAPA BEAR' for *Field and Stream* magazine in 1982 when he wrote: "What an incredible travelogue he had made of his life. And what an unperishable record. Almost always it was for the record, the cameras humming, the pencil by lantern-light skipping across the pages of his field notes (published by Doubleday in 1976), the films (more than twenty-five) and the books (three), the trophies and artifacts accumulating at last in the Fred Bear Museum. Always pushing himself, pushing his products, pushing his sport. 'I don't know how I did it,' he told me our last time together at Grousehaven. 'There must have been something driving me to run like that - just running around the mountains. But gee! It was fun.'"

- For more information, contact: Dick Lattimer, Bear Archery, Fred Bear Drive at Archer Road, Gainesville, Florida 32601, (904) 376-2327.



3) The bear weighed 810 pounds and dwarfs the six-foot tall Fred Bear.



# Northern Eye's Sight Saving Tour

**Crawford County  
Commission on Aging  
May 13**

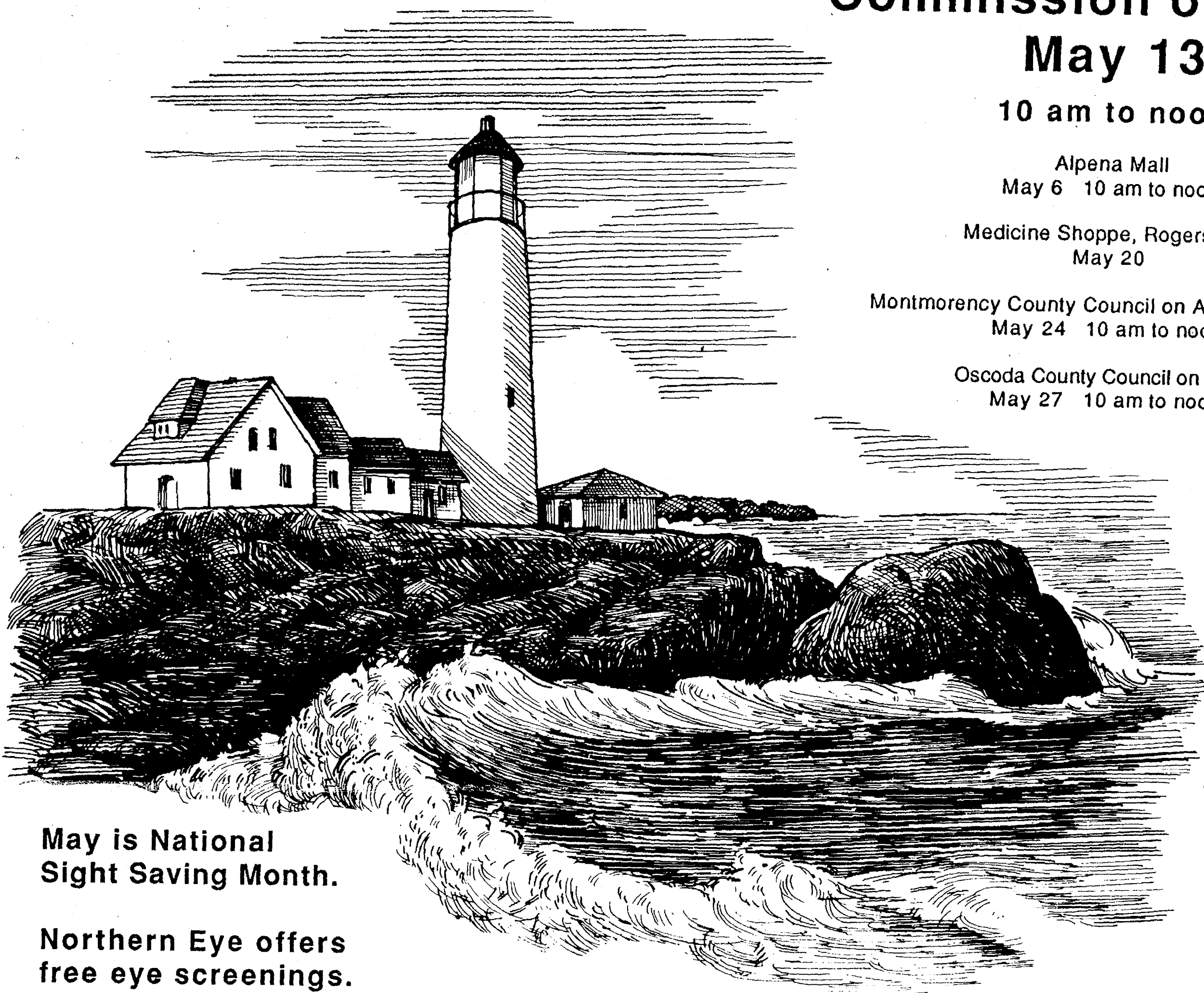
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May 6 10 am to noon

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May 20

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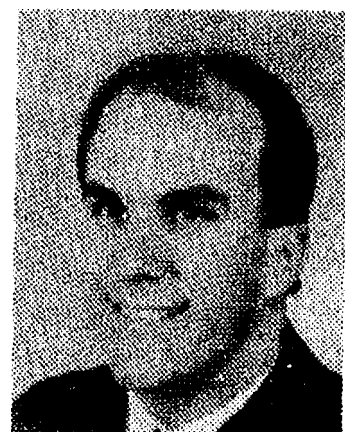
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## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### RELIGIOUS HYPOCRISY TODAY Part 2

Probably never in history has more time and money been spent in public media revealing the details of sex sin than the repeated articles about fallen television evangelists. It is reported the Elmer Gantry movie is being remade, and Jimmy Swaggart is the role model the lead actor is now studying. The public ridicule of the religious right will be unending.

At least until this time, the scandal has been limited to the charismatic left wing of evangelicalism. These men have been among those who as part of the holiness movement, claim knowledge like tongues, visions, and prophesying. They claim special healing miracles. Some hold our special promises of health, wealth, and spiritual blessing to their followers. Many of us who do not believe these claims are biblical for today, have attributed much of this religious phenomenon to a learned emotionalism. Our greatest concern for charismatic gifts are the deceptive nature of these gifts under antichrist to pull people away from love of the truth of Holy Scripture. (2 Thess 2:8-12). Religious experience will replace Bible truth.

To support the above point, Bakker, Gorman, and Swaggart were members of the Assemblies of God which is the strongest of most orthodox in the Bible believing group of the charismatics. The bulk of the neo-pentecostals are far less grounded in the Bible and orthodox doctrine. Some are following a blind mysticism whose authority is personal experience. Bible truth is not

even considered essential. The sex scandals of the conservation charismatics will not discredit or discourage the liberal charismatic movement which has already abandoned the Bible as authority. Much of the neo-pentecostal movement is now ripe for a New Age Movement take over, converting them into the mysticism of Eastern Hinduism. This is pure antichrist religion of mysticism.

The true Bible believing churches have been bypassed by those seeking the glamor of Hollywood, the success of big numbers, and big money, the excitement of a rock concert, or the playtime atmosphere of Disneyworld. Play religion may help you make social contacts, provide games for the kids, and enhance your reputation, but it won't forgive your sins, give you peace with God, or grant you assurance of eternal life. Only an infallible Bible can offer you this hope. We at Calvary Baptist Church offer the same Christ, the same faith, and the same Bible our ancestors offered 350 years ago this April when the first Baptist church was established on the east coast of these United States of America. If you really want to know the truth, join us for a verse by verse study of the 1611 King James Bible.

(The Bible Speaks is heard at 12:15 p.m. Tuesday on WQON 100 FM).

Pastor "B"

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### Mother Will Make It Better

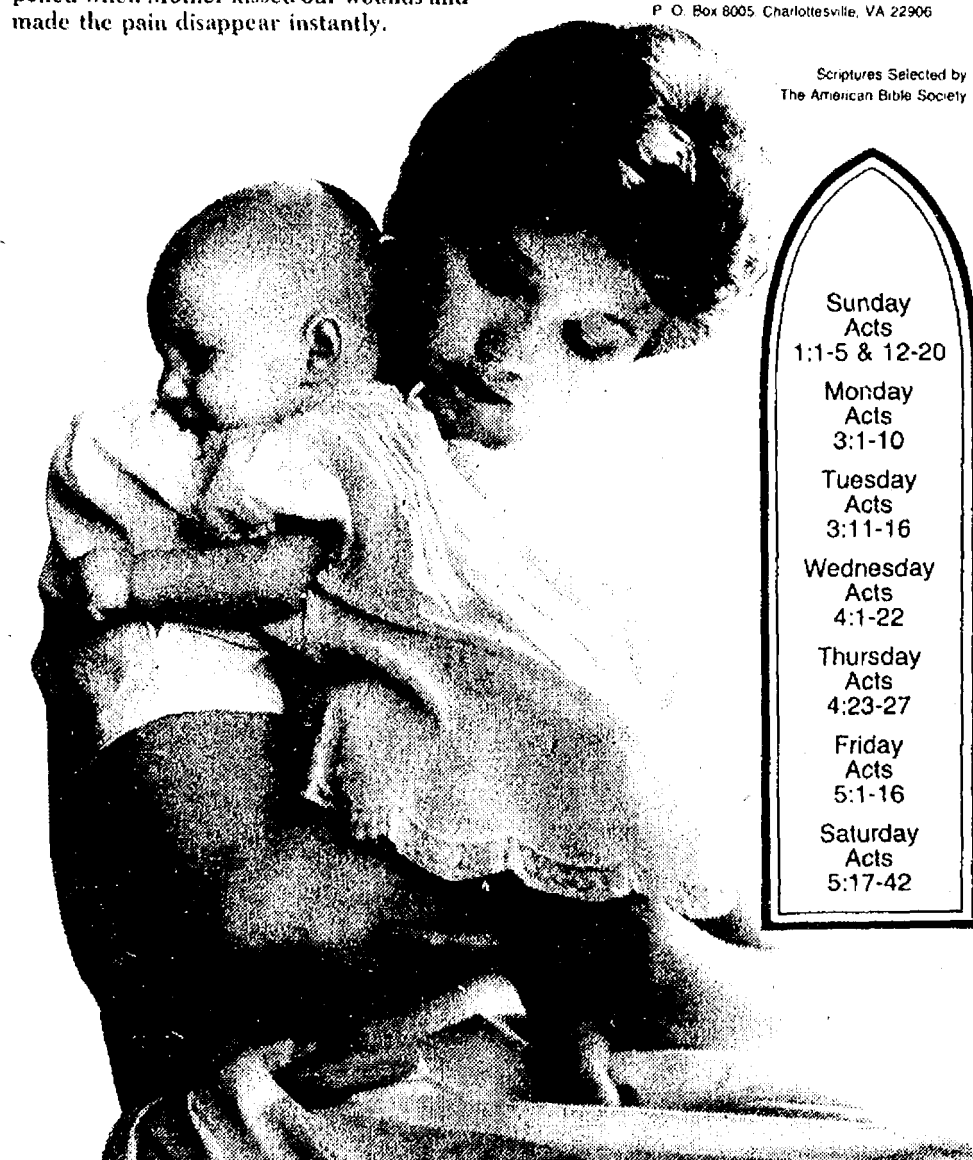
As children we always knew that mothers had the power to heal. Which of us has not experienced the magic that happened when Mother kissed our wounds and made the pain disappear instantly.

As we grew older we also experienced her power to heal emotional wounds. When the world outside seemed too cruel to bear she always provided a haven that allowed us to pull ourselves together so that we could face the world again.

As we grow into adulthood a phone call home can put a whole new perspective on our problems. On Mother's Day, let your mom know how much difference she makes. It's the least you can do in return for all the things she has done for you.

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Sunday	Acts	1:1-5 & 12-20
Monday	Acts	3:1-10
Tuesday	Acts	3:11-16
Wednesday	Acts	4:1-22
Thursday	Acts	4:23-27
Friday	Acts	5:1-16
Saturday	Acts	5:17-42

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Pastor Ken Haley — 348-8126

Sunday: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.

#### CHRIST MISSIONARY

Minister H.A. Hennig

4 Mi. East of Frederic on Co. Rd. 612  
in Maple Forest Township  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Worship & Praise: 11:00 a.m.  
SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:  
Winter: 6:00 p.m.  
Summer: 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer, Bible Study & Praise  
Winter: 6:00 p.m.  
Summer: 7:00 p.m.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

209 W. First St. - Suite 103 - Gaylord  
Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Service: 8:00 p.m.  
2nd Wednesday Every Month (April-November)

#### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Pastor Brent Ulrich

Phone 517/348-5942  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service: 6:00 p.m.  
Mid Week Service: 7:00 p.m.  
2989 Old Lake Road

#### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Pastor, Arthur Myers

Phone 348-3216  
Services held on Saturday at Camp  
AuSable Youth Camp, in the school building,  
the 1st building on the right off new  
entrance road.  
Church Service: 9:30 a.m.  
Sabbath School: 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting Tuesday: 7:00 p.m.  
All are Welcome.

#### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. Thomas McLane

911 Elm St. - Phone 348-7132  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service: 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

#### LOVELLS CHAPEL

Pastor Gary Hopp

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Chapel Service: 11:00 a.m.

#### HERITAGE BAPTIST

High School Band Room

Pastor Jim Van Lier - 348-7899

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

#### FREE METHODIST

Dwight L. Knael - Pastor

6552 W. Kalkaska Rd.  
(M-72 West) - Phone 348-5362  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service: 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting: Wed. 7:00 p.m.

#### JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Mr. Donald P. Nardin

Phone 348-4981 - Kingdom Hall  
Public Talk: Sunday 10:00 a.m.  
Watch Study: Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Book Study: Tuesday 8:00 p.m.  
Ministry School: Thursday 7:30 p.m.  
Service Meeting: Thursday 8:30 p.m.

#### MT. HOPE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN — MISSOURI SYNOD

The Rev. Daniel E. Lochner, Pastor

905 Old U.S. 27 North  
At the junction of M-93 & Old 27  
Grayling, Mich.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Adult Bible Class: 8:00 & 11:00 a.m.

#### ST. FRANCIS' EPISCOPAL

Vicar: The Rev. Darik J. Roy, Jr.

M-72 West — Office - 348-5850;  
Rectory - 348-2682  
Sunday Holy Eucharist: 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Prayer Service: 10:30 a.m.  
(the second Sunday of each month)  
Healing Service on the 5th Sunday  
of the month.

Sunday Church School: 10:30 a.m.  
(except the 1st Sunday of the month  
which is Family Sunday)

Sunday nursery care provided: 10:30 am  
Monday: Adult Choir practice: 7:00 pm  
Tuesday: Bible Study: 1:00 p.m.  
Adult Study Group: weekly meetings  
throughout the year  
Youth Groups: 2nd-5th grades; 6th-8th  
grades; and high school - meetings  
twice a month for each group.

#### MICHELSON MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Minister: Jeffery D. Regan

400 Michigan Avenue  
SUNDAY  
Worship Services: 9 & 11 a.m.  
Nursery provided for infants and young  
children: 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

#### ST. JOHN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN (ELCA)

710 Spruce St. - Ph. 348-5224

Worship Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Women's Crafts Group: Tues. 1:00 p.m.  
Choir Practice: Tues. 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

#### ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

700 Peninsular

Father Gerald Micketti - 348-7291

Deacon Bob Nolan - 348-5318

Mass Schedule

Saturdays: 5 p.m.  
Sundays: 9:30 & 11 a.m.  
Babysitting - Sundays: 9:30 & 11 a.m.  
Weekday Mass

Wednesday: 10 a.m.  
Friday: 8 a.m.  
Bible Study Wednesday: 10:30 a.m.  
Confessions - Saturday: 4 to 4:45 p.m.

#### REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST

OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Pastor Dennis Ormsbee

Corner of North Down River Rd.  
and South Millikin Rd.  
Sunday: 9:45 a.m.  
Church School: 11:00 a.m.  
Preaching: 11:00 a.m.  
Midweek Service: Prayer: 7:00 p.m.

#### GAYLORD CHRISTIAN REFORMED

Rev. V. Schaap

415 Ohio North

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.

Evening Service: 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.

#### CALVARY BAPTIST

Pastor Robert Barnett

M-72 West

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

Evening Service: 6:00 p.m.

MID-WEEK SERVICES

Prayer & Awana Club: Wed. 7:00 p.m.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Gordon French - Minister

Old US 27 at Skyline Rd. Ph. 348-8573

Sunday: 10:15 a.m.

Sunday School: 11:00 a.m.

Communion & Preaching: 11:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Mid-week Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.

Write or call for free Bible  
correspondence course.

#### BEAR LAKE CHRISTIAN

M-72 & East Bear Lake Rd.

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Service: 10:00 a.m.

#### THE CHURCH OF CHRIST with the Elijah Message

Pastor Dohn Weaver

Kelly Avenue - Frederic

Sunday Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship: 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Prayer Service: 7:00 p.m.

#### ABUNDANT LIFE TABERNACLE

Pastor Don Brigham

211 Shellenbarger St. - Grayling, Mich.

SUNDAY SERVICES:

Sunday Morning: 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday Evening: 7:00 p.m.

Saturday Evening: 7:00 p.m.

Praise & Worship

#### GRAYLING BAPTIST CHURCH

Affiliated with S.B.C.

Pastor Donn Broeker

Meeting at 501 Michigan Avenue

Ph. (517) 348-2457

Sunday Bible Study: 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship: 10:15 a.m.

Sunday School: 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Services: 7:00 p.m.

#### AUSABLE VALLEY CHURCH OF GOD

Pastor - Marie Cox

6330 Johnson - Frederic

Sunday School: 10:15 a.m.

Morning Worship: 11:00



## Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Floyd Ervin Goddard, Jr. and Charlene M. Goddard, his wife, of 6901 S. Stephan Bridge Road, Roscommon, Michigan 48853, Mortgagee, to the GRAYLING STATE BANK, a Michigan Corporation, of 305 Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan, Mortgagee, dated November 20, 1987, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, on the 23rd day of November, 1987, in Liber 270, of Crawford County Register on Pages 109-113, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this action, for principal and interest, the sum of FIVE THOUSAND, FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT and 96/100 DOLLARS (\$5,428.96).

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan, in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of July, 1988, at 10:00 A.M., said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Crawford County Building, in the City of Grayling, State of Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), of the premises described in said Mortgage, or so much thereof, as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said Mortgage, with the interest thereon at 13.50% per annum, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including real estate taxes which may be paid by the undersigned in order to protect its interest in the premises.

Said premises are described as follows: Situated in the Township of South Branch, Crawford County, State of Michigan, viz: The North 3/4 of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 5, T25N., R2W. ALSO 1-1969 12x60 Parkwood Mobile Home, Ser. No. 601210966, which is permanently attached to the above described premises.

The redemption period shall be ONE YEAR from the date of such sale.

Dated: April 11, 1988  
Emil L. Kraus,  
Attorney for the Mortgagee  
GRAYLING STATE BANK  
228 Michigan Ave.  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
-21-28-5-12-

Notice of Mortgage  
Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 24th day of October, 1984, by GREGORY M. DORMAN, Husband and Wife, as mortgagors, to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on October 24, 1984, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for CRAWFORD County, Michigan, in Liber 229 of mortgages on pages 397-400, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Twenty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Thirty Four and 97/100 Dollars (\$29,234.97) principal and Five Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Eight and 12/100 Dollars (\$5,698.12) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on June 2, 1988 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the front steps (east side) of Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, (that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of CRAWFORD), there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit:

That property located in the Township of Grayling, County of CRAWFORD in the State Michigan, Lot 51, RIVER-SIDE SUBDIVISION, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Pages 61 and 62, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale.

Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. For additional information, contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, 210 S. Morenci, Mio, MI 48647, mortgagee.  
Dated April 20, 1988  
-21-28-5-12-

## City Council Proceedings

April 11, 1988

Regular meeting of the City Council held April 11, 1988. Meeting called to order by Mayor Golinick at 7:30 p.m. Members present: Golinick, Latuszek, Thompson, White. Members absent: Sloan.

Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager; Allen V. Schreiner, City Treasurer; A. Donald Sorenson, Roy Knight Jr., Guy Quigley.

Moved by White, supported by Latuszek that the minutes of the meeting of March 28, 1988 be approved as presented. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried.

Citizens who wish to speak. None.

Communications were received and noted.

From M.M.L. re: Information Bulletins.

From M.M.L. re: Legislative Bulletins.

From Fire Chief re: Monthly Fire Report.

From M.M.L. re: Workers Compensation Fund Refund in the amount of \$2,138.29.

From City Manager re: 1988 Recognition Dinner May 4, 1988.

From City Manager re: Mayor Exchange Day May 12, 1988. Old Business.

The City Manager discussed with Council a request from the Michigan Department of Transportation for a change in the Right-of-Way for the Railroad Spur to serve Georgia-Pacific in the Industrial Park. He asked for Councils approval to sign an agreement making the change requested.

Moved by Golinick, supported by Latuszek that the City Manager be authorized to sign, for the City of Grayling, the proposed Agreement for Easement Across Reservation (see attached) as requested. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried.

Progress on the 1988 Street Construction program was detailed by Mr. Morford. Actual construction has commenced on the storm drains and is on schedule.

The Sanitary Sewer project progress was discussed. The City Manager noted that we are working on the land acquisition and the project seems to be moving well for now.

New Business.

The City Manager and Mr. Quigley presented the annual report of the Grayling Housing Director. Mr. Quigley noted that the past year has been good overall. The alarm system in 47-1 and 47-2 areas is working very well. The reserve has been increased during the year and is expected to increase again this year. During 1988 a CIAP was obtained which should allow about \$286,000 to be spent on repairs and modernization. The tenant accounts receivable are in good shape. Mr. Golinick thanked Mr. Quigley for his report.

Reports of City Manager. Mr. Morford reported on the following:

Notice to be placed in the newspaper regarding lead in drinking water (required by E.P.A.).

1988-89 FY Budget Schedule.

Sidewalk replacement request to fix 5 squares of sidewalk on Ottawa Street.

Moved by Golinick, supported by White that the City Manager be authorized to pursue and participate in this replacement effort on Ottawa Street at the Simpson residence under the 60/40 program. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried.

Investigation of alley R.O.W. in downtown area.

Reports of Council Members.

Mr. Thompson asked about the holes in Michigan Avenue. Mr. Morford stated that we will continue to work on them.

Adjournment.

Moved by Golinick, supported by Thompson that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:24 p.m.

Jerry W. Morford  
City Manager and City Clerk

## Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In The District Court For  
The County of Crawford  
File No. 88 015 LT  
ROY LEVIT,  
PLAINTIFF  
VS.  
DAVID W. ROSS and  
MARION F. BURR,  
DEFENDANTS

David R. Sabin P19822  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
709 Michigan Avenue  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
(517) 348-5588

ORDER TO ANSWER  
NOTICE IS HEREBY  
GIVEN to Marion "Sis" F. Burr that a Complaint has been filed against her in the Crawford County District Court wherein Roy Levit is the Plaintiff and David W. Ross and Marion F. Burr are the Defendants claiming a default in the terms of a certain Land Contract dated February 10, 1983 between Stanley L. Maleski and Rita M. Maleski, as sellers, and David W. Ross and Marion F. Burr, as purchasers, for property described as follows:

Lot 37, Grayling Mobile Estates No. 2, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 17, Crawford County Records, Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED to make your answer to the Complaint at the Crawford County District Court, County Building, Grayling, Michigan 49738 by no later than Tuesday, May 31, 1988 at 1:00 p.m. or take such other action as is permitted by law or court rule. Your failure to answer or take such other action as permitted by law may result in a Judgment of Forfeiture being entered against you.

Dated: April 22, 1988  
HONORABLE  
FRANCIS L. WALSH  
DISTRICT COURT JUDGE  
-5-12-19-

## WHAT'S NEW



## Lights Out

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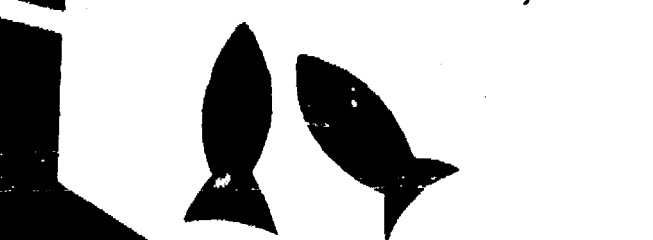


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## Misc. /7

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**MISC.** - Free puppies, mixed breed 8 weeks old, 348-8776. -5/-7

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**ATTENTION:** Mary's Corner Book Swap will be closed Tuesday and Wednesday, May 10th & 11th. -5/-7

**SHOW YOUR LICENSE** during Nurses Week May 1-7th and receive \$5 off any merchandise over \$10 at Ivie Girl of Grayling and Kathleen's Plus Fashions, Uptown Grayling. -5/-7

## Announcements /8

**CALL BETTY MANSFIELD** 348-8562 - Welcome Wagon Hostess if you are a newcomer, engaged or have a new baby. 11-29H/-8

**YOU ARE INVITED** to celebrate the Kick-Off of John G. Hunter's Campaign for Crawford County Probate Judge. Please stop by the Eagles Club on M-72 East on Sunday, May 22, between 2:00 and 4:00 p.m. No admission; refreshments will be served compliments of the campaign committee. Paid for by the Committee to Elect John G. Hunter, 306 State Street, P.O. Box 708, Grayling, MI, 49738, (517) 348-6141. -5-12-19/-8

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## Personals /9

**HOLLAND TULIP TOUR** May 7 (Saturday) Transportation, tours, admission, lunch & dinner \$50.00. Departs: Grayling, Le Coache Tours, 348-6000. LR 5/-5/-9

**CHESANING SHOWBOAT** July 14 (Thurs.) Transportation, dinner & showboat ticket \$45.00. Departs: Grayling, Le Coache Tours. LR 7/-7/-9

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## Garage Sales /10

### THURSDAY

**GARAGE & YARD SALE** - Race cars, Mini mod, mini stock, Bronco, Jeep, Motorcycle, Moped, household items, misc. items, Thurs., Fri., Sat., May 5, 6, 7, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., 2868 Jones Lake Rd., Grayling. Watch for sign. -5/-10

### FRIDAY

**GARAGE SALE** - 12' aluminum boat, 12' fiberglass canoe, 10 x 10 gazebo, and lots of crafts, 221 Holton St., Higgins Lake, 821-9335, starting April 29th. -28-5-12/-10

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**FRI. & SAT.** - May 6, 7, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days, 427H Evergreen Drive, Grayling. -5/-10

**2 FAMILY** - Fri., Sat., Sun., 9-?? 4552 Orbit Dr. off of Glenn Rd. -5/-10

**GARAGE SALE** - May 6 & 7, 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., 211 Evergreen Dr. across from Skip's, Double bed, baby bed dresser, much more. -5/-10

### SATURDAY

**PONTOON BOAT**, baby things, fishing tackle, odds and ends, May 7 & 8, 8 to 5, North Down River Rd. east 4 miles, turn right on Headquarters Rd. 1 mile on left hand side, 348-2324. -5/-10

**GARAGE SALE** - May 7th Saturday Only: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., North Down River Rd. to Headquarters to Richardson. Girls clothes, toys and good clean stuff. -5/-10

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## GRADUATION '88



### A Special Time To Remember

The Avalanche will be publishing a Grayling High School Graduation Special Section in our June 9th issue.

Individual photographs of seniors plus pictures of wonderful moments throughout the school year will make the section a keepsake to treasure.

If you have someone close to you graduating, or if your business has employees with children graduating, you may want to help make this Graduation Section extra special for them.

Call the Avalanche at 348-6811 before May 26 and we can design a congratulations ad just for your special GHS graduate.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON INCREASING PROPERTY TAXES

### The City Council of the City of Grayling

Will hold a public hearing on a proposed increase up to 1.2050 mills in the operating tax millage rate to be levied in 1988.

The hearing will be held on Monday, May 9, 1988 at 7:30 o'clock in the p.m. at Grayling City Hall, 103 James St., Grayling, MI.

If adopted, the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 8.3% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing.

The taxing unit publishing this notice, and identified below, has complete authority to establish the number of mills to be levied from within its authorized millage rate.

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### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 4- Mildred File  
Irv McIsaac  
May 5- Ann Buron  
May 6- Jim Bourrie  
Clara Sorenson  
May 7- Glenna Watters  
May 9- Nelson Miles  
Mary Kasper  
May 10- Roger Barber  
May 11- Dorothy Sorenson

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# Features

## WEEKEND CROSSWORD

THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWER

ACROSS

1 Snow runners  
5 Wee is mel  
10 Young hog  
12 Carlo  
15 Mergers  
16 Storage box  
18 Hear yet  
19 Furrow  
20 Sommer  
21 Condition, suffix  
22 Eagle's nest  
23 Eases  
24 English county  
25 Dress up  
26 The year  
27 Mature  
30 Pa. city  
34 Gardner  
35 Exist  
36 Rivers, Sp.  
37 Predatory fish  
38 Makes bear  
40 Angeles  
41 Amusement  
44 Scorchers

DOWN

1 Shine  
2 Bengal native  
3 Shakespeare character  
4 Remaining  
5 Astound  
6 Building site  
7 Blackbird  
8 Shops  
9 Beam  
11 Var. of inure  
12 Cain's brother  
13 Jumble  
14 Hades river  
19 Town near Padua  
21 John Jacob  
23 Era  
24 Salamander  
26 Food fish  
27 Anger  
28 Rulers of Russia  
29 Separated  
30 Space  
31 Houston  
32 Midway, pl.  
33 Assistant, abbr.  
35 Arty  
38 Type of gun  
39 Concealed obstacle  
42 Before  
43 Russian fighter plane

## Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 5/8-5/14/88

- ARIES**  
Mar. 21-Apr. 19  
Strive to be practical regarding appeals made to your sympathies by friends and others. Be discriminatory.
- TAURUS**  
Apr. 20-May 20  
Give thought to awakening potentialities of talent. You gain most by keeping emotions on an even keel. There's no time for moodiness.
- GEMINI**  
May 21-June 20  
Concentrate on working out ideas and bringing about successful endings. Be considerate of those close to you.
- CANCER**  
June 21-July 22  
There is an element of risk in your immediate circle. Look for long term possibilities rather than immediate results.
- LEO**  
July 23-Aug. 22  
Your reputation or prestige is altered in some fashion. A flexible approach is essential to assure benefit.
- VIRGO**  
Aug. 23-Sept. 22  
Others look to you for guidance and advice. Stay alert to changing patterns, and give the best you've got.
- LIBRA**  
Sept. 23-Oct. 22  
Make adjustments in your financial relations as the need arises. A warm relationship can cloud the picture.
- SCORPIO**  
Oct. 23-Nov. 21  
Your energetic approach to getting the house slicked up creates an extremely upsetting condition. Get it back in order.
- SAGITTARIUS**  
Nov. 22-Dec. 21  
Contracts or legal disputes may develop into full blown disagreements. Exercise caution while driving.
- CAPRICORN**  
Dec. 22-Jan. 19  
A strong desire to acquire treasures could bring difficulties for you. Be careful in dealing with one of questionable repute.
- AQUARIUS**  
Jan. 20-Feb. 18  
Any form of physical activity, whether for recreation or making a living, is a good release for that high powered energy source.
- PISCES**  
Feb. 19-Mar. 20  
The mind sometimes does play tricks on us. Sometimes these strange flashes have an important message.

## GARDEN Shade Tree Can Benefit From Spring Fertilizer

They exist in nature without any help at all, but shade trees placed in an urban or "man-made" environment may respond to a little care and feeding.

Shade trees can benefit from an occasional application of fertilizer. Healthy older trees don't need fertilizer every year, but it's the younger ones that are less well established and may respond to the extra care.

Fertilizer for trees should contain two to three times as much nitrogen as it does phosphorus and potash. Examples of such fertilizers are 15-5-5, 10-6-4 and 12-4-4.

Up to half of the nitrogen should be in an organic form, such as cottonseed meal or tankage. Organic nitrogen becomes available to the tree more slowly than chemical forms and provides nitrogen gradually over a longer period.

Trees should be fertilized in early spring. A second application may be added in

early summer, if needed. Don't fertilize trees in late summer.

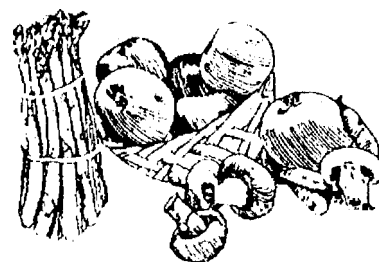
Apply two to four pounds of fertilizer for each six inches of the tree's diameter. Trees less than six inches in diameter should receive one to two pounds of fertilizer. Measure the tree trunk four feet above the ground to get the diameter.

You may apply the fertilizer on the ground surface. Avoid placing it within one foot of the trunk, since this could damage the root collar.

If your soil is compacted or if grass is growing under the tree, the most effective way to fertilize it is by punching holes in the ground and placing the fertilizer in the holes. Begin punching holes about one to two inches wide two feet or so from the trunk. Continue every two feet all around the tree and slightly beyond the spread of the branches.



By Phyllis Brummer



You think you spend a lot of time in the kitchen? From the Boston Cooking School Cookbook copyrighted 1896, here are two suggested menus for breakfast:

Slice oranges  
Wheat Germ with sugar and cream  
Warm over Lamb French Fried Potatoes  
Raised Biscuits  
Buckwheat cakes with Maple Syrup  
Coffee

Plums and Pears  
Cracked Wheat with sugar and cream  
Baked Beans  
Fish Balls  
Brown Bread  
Coffee

The following is a new menu for a full course dinner, though it is noted that for a home dinner, the courses could be limited to only six.

Little Neck Clams  
Consomme au Parmesan  
Olives  
Bouchees  
Filets of Halibut a la Poulette with Mayonnaise  
Tomatoes Delmonico Potatoes String Beans  
Larded Fillet of Beef w/Horseradish Sauce  
Glazed Sweetbreads  
Artichokes with Bechamel Sauce  
Sorbet  
Broiled Quail w/Lettuce and Celery Salad  
Banana Cantaloupe  
Sultana Roll with Claret Sauce  
Cinnamon Bars Lady Fingers Bonbons  
Crackers  
Cheese  
Cafe  
Noir

Jeff Smith, who appears regularly on National Public Television as the Frugal Gourmet, quotes his wife as saying the world doesn't need more mousse, it needs more elephants. So he gives us the

Chocolate Elephant  
12 eggs, separated  
1 tsp. vanilla  
1/2 lb. sweet butter  
3 Tbsp. almond liqueur  
1 lb. German Sweet Chocolate  
4 Tbsp. sugar  
Whipped Cream (optional)

Melt chocolate in a double boiler and set aside to cool somewhat. Beat egg yolks with vanilla and butter. Blend in liqueur. Beat whites and sugar until stiff. Add chocolate to yolk mixture, a little at a time. Fold chocolate mixture into egg whites. Serve

chilled and topped with whipped cream if you dare.

There are many good cake mixes on the market, but nothing beats the down-home goodness of a home-baked cake. This recipe is easy to make and is truly delicious.

Chocolate Buttermilk Cake  
3/4 c. boiling water  
3/4 c. unsweetened cocoa powder  
1 c. buttermilk  
2 1/2 c. unsifted all-purpose flour  
1 1/2 Tsp. baking soda  
1/2 Tsp. baking powder  
1/2 Tsp. salt  
3/4 c. (1 1/2 sticks) butter, softened  
2 c. sugar  
4 eggs  
1 1/2 Tsp. vanilla

Pour boiling water over cocoa and stir to dissolve. Add buttermilk. Sift flour, soda, baking powder and salt onto wax paper. Beat butter and sugar in large bowl with electric mixer at medium speed until light and fluffy. Add eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Stir in vanilla. Add dry ingredients alternately with cocoa mixture. Pour into three greased and floured nine inch cake pans and bake at 350° for 25 minutes.

Frosting: Beat 8 ounces whipped cream cheese with electric mixer at low speed to soften. Beat in 1/2 cup sifted powdered sugar until smooth. Beat in 2 tablespoons orange-flavored liqueur and 1/2 teaspoon vanilla. Beat in another 3/4 cup sifted powdered sugar. Add 1 1/2 cups heavy cream and beat at high speed until stiff.

If you buy buttermilk for this recipe and find that you have no use for the other three cups, try using buttermilk powder which can always be kept on hand. Substitute one cup of water for the buttermilk in the recipe and sift the appropriate amount of buttermilk powder with the flour.

Serve your guests a spicy beet pickle and let them think you slaved over a hot stove last summer.

Drain a can of sliced beets (crinkle cut is attractive) or tiny whole beets, reserving 1/2 cup beet juice.

Bring to a boil: 1/2 cup reserved liquid, 1/2 c. vinegar, 2 Tbsp. sugar, 2 whole cloves, 1/2 Tsp. salt, 3 peppercorns, 1/4 bay leaf or one small leaf.

Pour over beets and chill 12 hours.

## Poet's Corner THE SEA

What do I hear, I hear the sea  
What do I see, I see the sea  
Steering its way among the rocks  
The waves sing a mournful  
Song of men lost and never found.  
Many a man has went to sea  
Never to hear the last sound  
Sung by the waves on the rocks.  
Many and more a resting place  
Is never to be found  
In the endless waves  
At sea.

Jeremiah Hoover  
8th Grade, Grayling Middle School

\*Written as a class assignment and hereby dedicated to Mrs. Steele and to Mrs. Stancil who are more interested in my ideas than my spelling.

(Avalanche readers are invited to submit poems for this corner. Please send only one double-spaced typed poem at a time with your name and address. The Poet's Corner does not reflect the view or policies of the Avalanche. The opinions expressed are those of the author.)

## Verse or Worse

By Joseph D. Murphy

### Fred Bear's Dream

(Written in 1987)

When Fred Bear came to Grayling,  
He had a piece of land and his dreams.  
He came to start a company  
Without much money in his jeans.

He started the Bear Archery Company  
On a shoestring and a prayer.  
He had to scrounge around the dump  
For the metal he found there.

A lot of bed rails he found use for  
In making up his first machines.  
But he was a man of purpose  
Who was following his dreams:

Times were tough but so was Fred.  
His little company was built  
On hard work and an active mind.  
That he taxed to the hilt.

Soon his company was producing  
The bows that brought him fame  
They were the best at the time  
Or they didn't wear his name.

To keep his company going  
At times when things were slack.  
He made television cabinets  
For Munson on contract.

Among the swelling ranks of archers  
His equipment soon won fame.  
If you wanted to use the very best,  
You looked for Fred Bear's name.

Quality was what Fred wanted.  
No defective equipment would he send.  
If it didn't meet his standards  
In the junk it found its end.

Archery hunting was the going thing.  
Orders started pouring in.  
Many people went to work there.  
For Fred the good times did begin.

He hunted all over the world.  
Many trophies fell to his bow.  
He lived a life we all dream about.  
Anywhere he wanted he could go.

Old age is taking its toll, now.  
Fred is having to slow down.  
The company has moved to Florida  
But he's still loved in our town.

## Resource Review

Bruce Patrick  
Conservation Officer



The Michigan legislature recently passed a bill that will give state residents an opportunity to purchase a lifetime hunting/fishing license. The licenses will be sold between March 1, 1989 and February 28, 1990 at regular license agents and other outlets approved by the DNR. There may be another window of availability at some point after that, but it is uncertain at this time.

The lifetime licenses will be expensive and one will have to count on a long life to make them worthwhile. The costs are as follows: Lifetime Small Game License - \$200.; Lifetime Firearm Deer License - \$285.; Lifetime Bow & Arrow Deer License - \$285.; Lifetime Fishing license - \$220.; Lifetime Trout/Salmon Stamp - \$220.; Lifetime Sportspersons License - \$1,000.

Simple arithmetic indicates a person would have to hunt and fish for 22 years to make the purchase of a Lifetime Sportsman's License worthwhile, considering the \$45.00/year cost for that license at present. Of course, purchase of a lifetime license protects the buyer from future license fee increases.

Revenue from lifetime license sales will be deposited in the Lifetime License Trust Fund. That fund will reimburse the Game and Fish Protection

fund for any loss of money caused by the lifetime licenses.

This is a program initiated by interests outside of the DNR and we do not know what the public's response will be. When other states initiated the lifetime licenses, first year sales ranged from a few hundred to several thousand. Oklahoma has sold 55,000 in 20 years.

Whether or not to purchase a lifetime license is an individual's decision, but if you have a tendency to lose things you might want to consider that. A large number of people can't keep track of their passbook from one year to another under the present system.

## Doodles From The Tall Timber



Wendell L. Hoover  
Park Interpreter

May 1-Both crews worked together to pick jam. Birded loudmouth in. May 4-rain for 2 days. Wet above and below. River high. Gilmore lost two men yesterday, we lost one. Ain't found no body. Logs movin fast as a man can walk. May 6, '91-Laid in today with bruised leg.

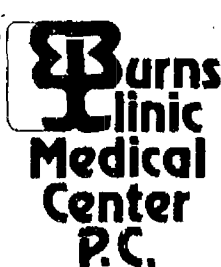
Helped cook. Bah. Be back to morrow. Crew short handed. May 8- Leg sore. Picked a wing jam below temple. Had women watchin. Ain't seed any such since las Octobir. Just wait till we hit the flats. May 9-Charlie claims he has eggs awaitin at Evert.

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**SUNDAY**  
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Luzerne  
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**SUNDAY**  
6:30 p.m. to 11 p.m.  
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**SUNDAY**  
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**TUESDAY**  
7:00 P.M.  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
6:30 to 11 p.m.  
KNIGHTS OF  
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GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

**WEDNESDAY**  
6:30 P.M.  
St. Francis of Assisi  
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**THURSDAY**  
AMERICAN  
LEGION HALL  
Post 106  
7:00 p.m.  
GRAYLING

**FRIDAY**  
7 P.M.  
GRAYLING  
EAGLES CLUB  
802 Huron, M-72 E

## BINGO



## Crawford County Board of Commissioners

April 12, 1988 Regular Meeting  
SYNOPSIS

The regular Meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners convened on April 12, 1988 in the city of Grayling at 9:30 a.m. Commissioners present: Kitchen, Harland, Haight, Mattis, Ruddy, Miller and Kitchen. County Clerk Elizabeth Wieland was also present. There were 10 visitors present at various times.

### IN FORMAL ACTION, COMMISSIONERS:

—Accepted payment of General Fund Vouchers in the amount of \$138,009.77. Fish Hatchery Vouchers in the amount of \$13.46 and

Commissioners	Salary	Per Diem	and Expenses as follows:
Kitchen	200.00	180.00	13.20
Harland	200.00	200.00	12.32
Haight	200.00	90.00	20.46
Mattis	250.00	240.00	96.50
Ruddy	200.00	150.00	8.80
Miller	200.00		
Joyce	200.00	190.00	24.05

—Accepted 65 pieces of communications.

—Executed the 1988 Friend of the Court Incentive Payment Program certificate indicating the 1988 appropriation is not less than the amount appropriated for 1982.

—Recessed the Regular Meeting for 15 minutes to hold an executive session to discuss pending litigation.

—Directed the Prosecuting Attorney not to proceed with further action on the establishment of a normal legal lake level for Salling Lake as property owners involved have requested the case be dismissed.

—Requested a Jail Study Committee be formed to address the needs, cost and financing of a facility adequate for the next 15-20 years. Said committee to include, but not be limited to, the Sheriff, Treasurer, Chairpersons, of Ways & Means, Building & Personnel and Law Enforcement Committees.

—Waived the Board's policy on the freeze of new hires and/or replacements and authorized the Sheriff to hire an additional Correction Officer until the end of the year.

—Accepted a Letter of Agreement between the 83rd District Court for the County of Crawford and the 83rd District Court employees as approved by the Labor Committee.

—Approved the first quarterly appropriation of \$1332. to MSU - Extension Service.

—Appointed Jess Birtcher to the Northern Michigan Solid Waste Planning Committee for a 2 year term.

—Submitted the tapes of the 4-11-88 meeting between County Representatives, Transportation Director, and representatives of the Military to legal counsel David Sabin prior to making a decision on the Joint Use Operating Agreement for the airport.

—Approved payment of \$1500. to the Equalization Director and \$500. to the Appraiser as outlined in the agreement with Beaver Creek for assessing functions performed.

—Executed the Entity Transfer Authorization Form allowing members to voluntarily transfer their investment of deferred compensation to Nationwide (PEPSCO) for a credit of 104 percent.

—Extended the maintenance agreement on the NP 400 Canon copier with Star Office Supply at a cost of \$600. per year.

—Approved a reimbursement of costs and materials incurred for the County Seal presented and adopted by the Board in the amount of \$127.

—Approved a request of the Grayling Recreation Authority to place a millage renewal proposal on the 1988 August Primary - present millage expires in 1988.

—Accepted the 1989 Allocation Budget report for the General fund in the amount of \$2,582,000. as drafted for allocation purposes.

—Adopted a Resolution Honoring Randy Thompson for his services as Director of Crawford County Housing and Rehabilitation Commission.

### IN OTHER BUSINESS, COMMISSIONERS:

—Learned Crawford County is a recipient of a grant under National Association of Counties Mental Health Technical Assistance Project, geared to help the mentally ill that are serving time in our jail.

—Discussed a proposal for full time coverage, during regular business hours, in the Prosecutor's Office.

—Listened to a report on the happenings and activities at the Jail. Sheriff requested metal posts with no parking signs to rope off certain area when necessary, enforcement of the no-parking zone in the loop in front of the courthouse will be made and overflow at the jail is causing problems - some inmates are being boarded out.

—Learned the DNR authorized the purchase of a radio in the amount of \$227. under the 1988 Marine Safety Budget.

—Heard a report from D.J. Taylor, Project Manager, Camp Grayling Area Minuteman Foundation, on the activities being planned in conjunction with the 75th Anniversary of Camp Grayling. Use of 5 trucks for clean up after the 4th of July celebration and Milltown Weekend have been offered by Camp Grayling. Some of the projects submitted to the committee working with the military on community projects include the berming of the County Building, a bike and hiking trail, dry hydrants and etc.

—Received information from Pete Stephan on his interpretation of an ad hoc committee comprised of avid fishermen interested in developing a National Trout Fishing Museum. The group hoped to promote Grayling as a trout center.

—Received a request from Irene Wyman, Magistrate, for a temporary summer employee under one of the summer training programs to help with a back log of old cases and filing.

—Heard brief updates from various other committees. Full text of official minutes are on file in the Clerk's office. Lawrence Mattis - Chairman Elizabeth Wieland - Clerk/Reg. of Deeds

## Road Commission Minutes

March 31, 1988

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling. Present were: Commissioners Grover Cason and Norman Parker, Engineer-Manager John Keir, Accounting-Clerk Joanne Thompson. Absent: Chairman Kraus.

The minutes of the previous meeting of March 18, 1988 were read. Commissioner Parker made a motion to accept the minutes as read, seconded by Commissioner Cason. All voted in favor, minutes approved.

Payroll Voucher Number 7 in the amount of \$25,506.94 and Materials checks numbered 13441 through 13491 in the amount of \$91,692.26 were presented to the Board for approval of payment. Commissioner Cason made a motion to accept the vouchers, seconded by Commissioner Parker.

Permits were reviewed and signed as follows: General Telephone Company to bury communication cable along Arrowhead Road in Frederic Township and Old U.S. 27 in Grayling Township.

Engineer-Manager Keir was interested to prepare bid specifications for a tar kettle, compressor and tractor to be let on April 29, 1988 along with the Hopper Boxes and Underbody blades.

Correspondence was received from Clotis Spears, Beaver Creek Township Supervisor, regarding the roadside park on Old 76 and improvement of various roads in that township.

There being no further business before the Board, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn. All voted in favor, meeting adjourned.

Joanne Thompson  
Accounting-Clerk

Gloria Kraus  
Chairman

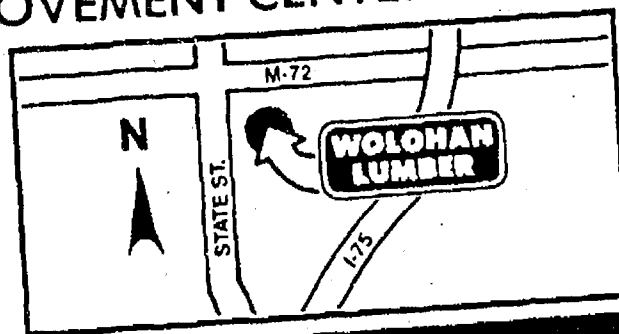
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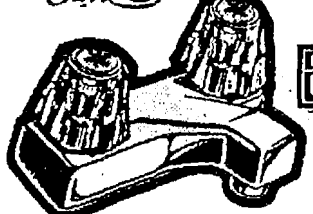
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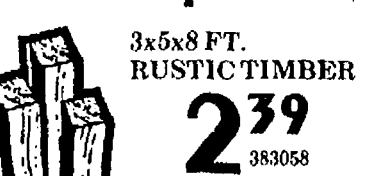


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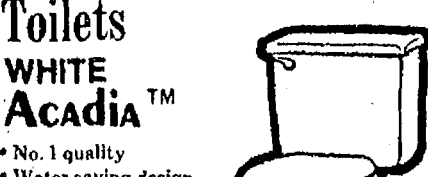
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